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PLIGHT OF GIRL-BOY PARENTS IS TAKEN IN COURT

Judge of Indiana Court Takes Case Under Advisement

Linton, Ind., Dec. 30.—(AP)—The case of a 12-year-old girl and a 13-year-old boy, the unmarried parents of a 10½-pound baby boy born Tuesday, was before Circuit Judge J. Raymond Powell today.

The boy, Thomas H. Chapman, charged by the girl's parents with being the father of the baby, appeared in court yesterday. After hearing evidence, Judge Powell took the case under advisement.

The girl-mother—blue-eyed Betty June Lacer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lacer—and the boy-father started school in the first grade together and were graduated from the eighth grade last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, parents of Thomas, and the Lacers have been close friends for years.

Indiana statutes prevent the issuance of a marriage license to the young couple, even with the consent of the parents.

The baby, born at the home of Betty June's parents, was named Thomas Howard.

HONEYMOON ABRUPTLY ENDED

Huntington, Tenn., Dec. 30.—(AP)—The honeymoon of 13-year-old Ida Bell Thomas ended abruptly today when Tennessee's new "child bride" law was invoked to jail her husband-for-a-day.

Magistrate Manuel McCormick said 22-year-old Garfield Taylor was held for the grand jury on a charge of fraudulently obtaining a marriage license, and that Geo. Campbell, 30-year-old friend of the bridegroom, was held on a charge of falsely attesting the girl was over 18.

Small, dark-haired Ida Bell, whose mother told McCormick in seeking warrants for the two men, that her daughter was but 13, was back today in her home nine miles north of this middle Tennessee town.

The mother, Mrs. Lena Thomas, will institute annulment proceedings, McCormick said.

Tricot Declares Wife Was Killed For Finding Body

Paris, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Henri Tricot told police today his wife was shot by Eugene Weidmann when the enraged killer learned she had discovered the buried body of Jean De Koven, slain Brooklyn dancing girl.

Tricot said his wife later informed him of the incident and showed him a knee wound caused by Weidmann's bullet. A police doctor, checking on the story, examined the Tricot woman and found a scar which might have been left by a bullet wound.

Terrier Hikes 160 Miles For Holiday

Chicago --(AP)—A tired, foot-sore and hungry wire-haired terrier barked at the front door of the Andrew J. Walleddon home on Christmas Eve.

Walleddon investigated and found Buddie—the same dog he had given to a family at Kansas, Ill., a year and a half ago.

"I guess it decided to come home for Christmas," Walleddon said, "and hitch-hiked the 160 miles."

His Own Medicine

Madisonville, Ky., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Courtroom visitors were puzzled today to find Charles Taylor, 16, Negro, standing on one foot with both hands in the air.

The unusual punishment was meted out by County Judge Charles Barnett. The youth was charged with attempted burglary.

The judge told Taylor to assume the statue pose each day until further notice. He decides each day when the youth has had enough.

Investigation of Ogle County Holocaust Ended Says Crowell

State's Attorney Don Crowell of Ogle county today denied that he anticipated reopening an investigation into the deaths of Mrs. Glenn Large, expectant mother, and her five small children in the fire which destroyed their home on the Ridge road about three weeks ago.

"I have conducted my investigation and questioned Mr. Large at the time of the inquest and unless further evidence is produced, this office has completed its investigation. There is such a thing as having an opinion and being able to furnish the evidence to substantiate such an opinion, but insofar as my office is concerned, I can only say that I have made my investigation of the case," State's Attorney Crowell told an Evening

Lost Is Found

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Policeman Raymond Reich outlined a course in English today for his beagle hound, Richard.

When Richard disappeared during a recent hunting expedition his master said the hound would respond only to Polish. He asked his friends to greet all lonesome-looking beagles with "Czy ty jestes Rycard?" (Are you Richard?)

Herman Beyer and a beagle wandering around suburban Bensenville yesterday and tried the Polish greeting, without success.

Police Chief Harry Kolze hove in sight and ventured the opinion that Beyer's Polish was about the worst he had ever heard.

Then Chief Kolze, who learned Polish at the family fireside, unlimbered the magic phrase, "Gwarf art arf!" was the immediate response.

Richard, for it was he, showed wet, doggy kisses on his nose to his master upon their reunion last night.

MOLINE POLICE NAB PAIR AFTER RUNNING BATTLE

Moline, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Two young men, booked by police as Emerson Adams, 20, and Noia Hendrickson, 18, of Shelbyville, Indiana, and other Lake county, Indiana, cities, who were driving an automobile bearing Indiana license plates, were captured on Rock Island arsenal island this morning after they were trailed through the brush for more than four hours by Moline and arsenal police. They were brought here for questioning.

The men engaged in a running gun battle with Moline police after squad car officers, notified by radio that the pair had failed to pay for seven gallons of gasoline at a filling station, spotted the car and gave chase.

The pursuit led through business and residential districts and finally the car was driven over the Moline bridge to the arsenal and flashed past a guard house without stopping.

Arsenal officers barricaded all gates to the island, trapping the men. The posse located the car but the two had taken to the brush. The officers then set up a vigil, awaiting daylight and captured the pair without bloodshed.

Rockford Recluse Found Strangled

Rockford, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Martin Pearson, 63-year-old recluse, was found strangled to death last night, supposedly a victim of robbers.

The retired furniture worker's body was found under a bed, his hands and feet tied with a clothesline, a man's sock knotted around his neck, and a towel tied over his mouth.

John E. Malm, a son-in-law found all doors of the house locked when he went to visit his father-in-law. He went next door to inquire about him from a neighbor, Agnar Johnson. The two returned, entered with a skeleton key and discovered the body.

Detective Paul Phelan said Pearson usually carried large sums of money. Among his effects was a bank book showing he had \$3,629 on deposit.

Dr. Warren G. Ives, Winnebago county coroner, said Pearson probably had been slain Tuesday night.

Mendelssohn Music Ousted in Germany

Luckenwalde, Germany, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Anti-Semitism manifested itself again in Germany today, this time knocking out Mendelssohn's time-honored incidental music to Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream."

Theo Knobel, young Nazi composer, wrote substitute music which was given its world premiere at Kurmaerksche's Landestheater last night.

According to critics, the music is "folk-song-like and melodious, avoiding difficult harmonies."

Richard Strauss originally was asked to write incidental music for the play but insisted he could not improve on Mendelssohn.

FORTY MEN MAY OFFER BLOOD TO FIRE HEROINE

Sat At Switchboard, Clothes Aflame To Warn Guests

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Two score men stood by today ready to give blood transfusions to a 93-pound blonde heroine of the Plaza hotel fire who remained at her switchboard yesterday, arousing guests as she beat out her blazing clothing with her hands.

Among the last to flee the fire fatal to two other hotel employees, 26-year-old Helen Sullivan had to run through a well of flame in the lobby. She staggered into the street so badly burned that no one recognized her at first.

Part of her dress was burned off, and her face, chest and hands were burned.

Nearly delirious from pain when she reached the medical center, she asked about an aged widow and an aged couple who lived at the hotel. Told all the guests were saved, her flame-blackened face lighted with a smile.

Chief's Explanation  
The death of the two employees and injuries to nine other persons was attributed by Police Chief Harry Walsh to panic and a 25-minute delay in turning in a fire alarm.

"There was no negligence," he said.

William Marx, 24-year-old house boy, overcome by smoke as he aroused guests and Mrs. Ida Thomas, 50, negro head maid, were killed in the fire.

Some of the 100 guests and employees trapped on the upper floors jumped into firemen's nets or slid down ropes. Others climbed or were carried down ladders.

Deputy Fire Chief Frank Ertle, estimated damage at \$13,000.

APARTMENT FIRE

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Fire in a Devon avenue apartment and store building on the north side drove a score of men and women, many in night clothing, to the street today. One woman was overcome by smoke.

Firemen estimated damage at more than \$25,000. Fifty policemen were sent to the scene to unsmear traffic.

SPANISH REBELS REPORT ADVANCE OF OVER A MILE

Henday, Franco-Spanish Frontier, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The Spanish insurgent high command reported today its army struggling to rescue the besieged garrison of Teruel had broken through government lines northwest of the city.

A Salamanca communique said "all objectives" were captured in a series of surprise attacks yesterday. The insurgents reported an advance of one mile and a quarter which "disorganized the enemy ranks."

A Barcelona communique said the assault centered around Celadras, about 12 miles northwest of Teruel, but denied the insurgents' fan-shaped offensive gained any ground despite an onslaught by 30 planes and waves of infantry.

The action started yesterday morning when planes supporting Gen. Miguel Aranda's relief columns bombarded government lines. The infantry attack followed, resulting in "all heights falling into our power" at noon, the insurgents said.

They reported the government's losses from both land and air offensives were heavy.

Without giving further details on the siege of the garrison trapped in Teruel last week by the government's surprise offensive, the insurgents said those besieged were still in radio communication with Zaragoza.

The garrison, estimated at about 3,000 men and about an equal number of civilians in its protection, still held out in a convent and the civil government's palace.

Habeas Corpus for Haefner is Denied

Judge Albert H. Manus of Freeport, sitting in the Lee county circuit court, today denied the petition for habeas corpus filed by Attorney John P. Devine, representing John Haefner of Lee Center township, who is a prisoner in the state work farm at Vandalia. The action attacked the original sentence imposed by the late County Judge William L. Leech, who sentenced Haefner to serve one year in the state work farm and stand committed until a fine of \$1,500 was worked out at the rate of \$1.50 per day.

Haefner was charged with having committed an assault and was brought back to Lee county from near Cresbard, S. D., by Deputy Sheriff G. P. Finch. His sentence of one year at the state farm has been served and the habeas corpus action was instituted to secure his release from working out the heavy fine imposed by Judge Leech.

G-Men Investigate Homicide on High Seas; Towing Yacht to Port

S. O. S. Signal Found On Sail, Body On Ship's Deck

San Pedro, Calif., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Government agents investigated a case of homicide on the high seas today as the coast guard patrol boat, Perseus, carrying a dead yachtsman and six survivors, towed the disabled schooner Aafje toward Los Angeles harbor.

To take charge until the yacht is docked here some time after midnight, the federal bureau of investigation ordered Special Agent W. H. Osborne to leave San Diego aboard the cutter 442 this morning.

Discovery of the fatal shooting of the Aafje's owner, Dwight L. Faulding, 49, wealthy Santa Barbara hotel operator, was told in meager reports yesterday.

His body, lying on the deck, was reported sighted by a navy flier, who had noticed "SOS" scrawled on a sail.

Two coast guard amphibian planes, dispatched to the scene, found the 58-foot yacht, which sailed from San Pedro December 20 on a two-day cruise, with food, water and malsail gone, and lacking fuel for an auxiliary motor.

The Perseus took the Aafje in tow 190 miles south of here off the Mexican coast. Six persons and Faulding's body were removed.

The list of rescued announced by the coast guard was:

Mrs. Gertrude Turner and her 8-year-old son Robert Tufo, of Dos Pueblos Rancho, Goleta, Calif.

Mrs. Jack Morgan, expectant mother, Los Angeles, and her registered nurse, Miss Elsie Berdan.

Robert Horne, 28, West Los Angeles photographer.

George Spernak, Los Angeles.

Harbor men said the Aafje took aboard provisions sufficient only for a two-day cruise. A heavy blow may have accounted for her being far off course.

Faulding, it was learned here, made arrangements for the trip with a man who identified himself as "Jack Morgan."

No mention of "Jack Morgan" was made in the coast guard's list of passengers, although unverified advice said he had been aboard when the naval flier first discovered the disabled yacht.

Society circles in Los Angeles recently linked romantically the names of Faulding and Mrs. Turner. For five months he had been living here aboard the Aafje, once owned by the late Cliff Durant.

OUT, THEN IN AGAIN  
Danville, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Removal of Robert N. Warner, Effingham, Ill., to Pittsburgh, Pa., was ordered today by Federal Judge Walter C. Lindley. Warner was released yesterday from the state penal farm at Vandalia. He was wanted in Pennsylvania on an internal revenue charge.

Freed As Material Witness In Death Of His Companion

Milford, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—John Geddes was released today in \$1,000 bond as a material witness in the death of Ed Dillon, 46, with whom he visited several taverns Monday night. Dillon was found unconscious early Tuesday in the hallway of his home and died several hours later.

Coroner Verne Bussert continued the inquest to January 10, pending a report by a Chicago pathologist on the condition of Dillon's vital organs. Dr. M. L. Wiseman, who performed an autopsy, testified he found no evidence of acute alcoholism.

Geddes told the coroner he took Dillon home drunk.

Four Young People Hurt in Accident

James Dempsey, Jr., and Frank Loam of Amboy and Misses Josephine Lane and Betty Murray of Polo sustained minor cuts and bruises this morning about 1:00 o'clock as the result of an automobile accident which occurred on U. S. route 52, about four miles south of Dixon when the car in which they were riding was reported to have skidded on the slippery paving and crashed into the concrete headwall of a culvert near the Randall Green farm.

The young women were taken to the Amboy city hospital where their injuries were dressed and they were able to return to their homes in Polo this morning. Their two companions were taken to their homes in Amboy.

Salesman for Dixon Firm Admits Story of Rockford Holdup Fake

Walter C. Knack, local wholesaler, and Ligouri Welch returned from Rockford yesterday after making an extended investigation of a story told Rockford police by Gilbert E. Sendele, 33-year-old resident of Rockford, in the employ of Knack, that he had been held up and robbed on a side road near that city Tuesday night. As the result of the investigation Sendele admitted to the Dixon men and Rockford police that his story was a hoax and was without foundation.

He originally claimed to have been held up, kidnapped and robbed of about \$400 in cash and cigarettes valued at \$1,000 belonging to his employer. He is now held in the county jail at Rockford under a charge of larceny preferred by Welch, representative of the firm

Last Voyage

New York, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The liner Leviathan, one-time \$10,000,000 queen of the seas, has lost her American registry.

Cancellation of her certificate was a routine step in clearing the way for the \$6,000 ton vessel to go to the junkyard of her new British owners.

"Old Levi" was sold by the United States early this month to Mental Industries, Ltd., of London, who will sail her under her own power to England for reduction to scrap iron.

The Leviathan, originally the Vaterland of Imperial Germany, was interned by the United States during the World War. Her last voyage, beginning around January 15 will be under provisional British registry.

GALE WARNINGS AGAIN ISSUED FOR NORTHWEST

Seattle, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Gale warnings flew along the Oregon and Washington coasts again today.

Four days of gales, heavy rains, snows and attendant floods and slides already have taken six lives and caused heavy property damage.

No official estimate was made of damage over the entire Pacific northwest, but British Columbia authorities said the storm would cost that province alone between \$200,000 and \$400,000.

Highway crews throughout the province, Washington, Oregon and Idaho labored to clear debris from main arteries.

Residents of the Nehalem Valley, Oregon, fled with their livestock to higher ground.

The weather bureau predicted Oregon's Willamette river would reach flood stage today at Salem and Albany.

The majority of Washington's principal rivers already were at flood stage.

Snowfalls buried 400 feet of the Main Crow's Nest Pass highway near Fernie, B. C., to a depth of 25 feet.

Fog and Mist Made Travel Hazardous During Early Morn

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Loop employees came to work today in the semi-darkness of a smog enveloping the city. (The dictionary says a smog is a fog made heavier and darker by the smoke of a big city.)

The misty fog lifted later but the gloom persisted because of heavy, moisture-laden clouds.

Meteorologist C. A. Donnel of the weather bureau said the extensive cloudiness, with some mist or fog, extended over much of the northern and eastern parts of the nation.

Donnel said temperatures were above normal, with few exceptions, throughout the country. The lowest reported last night was 6 below zero at Greenville, Me.

Chicago's minimum of 31 was 12 degrees above normal. The forecast was for slightly warmer weather tomorrow.

Reports from Illinois cities showed fog or mist impeded traffic today at Streator, Galesburg, Cairo, Kewanee, Bloomington, Kankakee, Decatur, Peoria and Quincy.

Report Backing Of Bill to Eliminate Jap Fishing Boats

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Informed legislators disclosed today that a bill designed to effect the gradual elimination of Japanese and other alien fishing boats from American waters had administration backing.

Meanwhile it was reliably reported at the state department that negotiation of a dispute with Japan over salmon fishing rights in Alaskan waters was near completion. An agreement was predicted in a "very few days."

Same Reasoning

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Andrew Harke lives at 308 Oakwood avenue in a suburban Highland Park. When he tried to go to bed in a home at 308 Prairie avenue in nearby Highwood, police were called and Harke went to jail instead.

In justice court Harke said it had been a large evening and 308 is 308 no matter which town it's in.

Justice of the Peace C. J. Shetzley said, however, that by that sort of reasoning Harke could appropriate readily that \$15 is \$15—the amount of his fine.

Four Men Fined On Charges Of Slugging Worker

Kansas City, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Four men who testified they were Ford Motor company workers were fined \$100 each today by Police Judge Thomas V. Holland after testimony of a C. I. O. organizer that he had been slugged and his wife slapped.

The organizer, O. W. Penney, 40, said he helped found the United Automobile Workers local which called a strike December 10 against the Ford assembly plant here and "I am a Ford worker on strike."

Ford officials deny that any strike is in effect at the plant. Denials of slugging Penney or slapping his wife were made by the four men; Ben Baum, 22, Joseph Shera, 23, Alex Bengimina, 31, and H. Rauzy, 35.

JAPANESE FORCES MEET RESISTANCE OF CHINA ARMIES

Nipponese Send Word Of Fierce Fighting West of Tsingtao

Shanghai, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Japanese armies met stiff Chinese resistance today on Shantung province fronts outside Tsingtao, the dynamite-rocked north China seaport from which a number of Americans were in flight.

Japanese sources themselves sent word of fierce fighting some 100 miles west of Tsingtao, between the railroad centers of Weihsein and Tsingchow. South of Tsinan, the conquered provincial capital, warfare on the outskirts of Talan gage China's sacred mountain, Tai Shan, a baptism of fire.

The United States gunboat Sacramento docked in Shanghai and disembarked first American civilian refugees from the threatened port 400 miles to the north. Twenty-five Americans, with a number of nurses and dependents, made the trip.

Another contingent of American Tsingtao refugees headed for Shanghai on the steamer Shunite. The United States cruiser Marblehead and destroyer Pope stood ready to evacuate remaining Americans.

Americans Leave Hankow  
Still more Americans fled from the spreading warfare deep in China's interior. A flag-decked refugee train left Hankow for Hongkong with 313 Americans and other foreigners under Japanese assurance of safe passage over the frequently bombed route.

Even though resistance delayed the Japanese advance on Tsingtao, Chinese apparently were resigned to loss of the city. They spread destruction with dynamite and flames to leave for the war machine engaged in swallowing five north China provinces only "scorched earth . . . broken tile."

Nippon's warplanes resumed widespread bombardment after a temporary halt because of rain and murky skies.

NOTE MADE PUBLIC  
London, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Japan, in a note to Britain made public today, declared Japanese attacks on the gunboat Ladybird and other British ships in China waters were a mistake.

But to insure against further incidents Japan has dealt properly with responsible military and naval officers on the ground they failed to take full precautions.

New orders have been given to Japanese forces, the note said, for the greatest possible care that attacks shall not be made upon the lives and property of British or other nationals.

The note was similar in content to the Japanese explanation of bombing by Japanese planes of the American gunboat Panay and three Standard Oil vessels.

The British foreign office released the explanation, in reply to British protests against such incidents, without any comment to indicate whether it was satisfactory.

Of the British request for punishment of those responsible, the Japanese note said that the government:

"In order to insure against the possibility of similar mistakes, have dealt properly according to law with the commanding and other military officers concerned, and with the commanding and other naval officers of the air squadrons responsible on the ground they failed to take full precautions." The disciplinary action was not detailed.

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Cornell Science Professor Chosen Fraternity Head

Indianapolis, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Dr. Katherine Vanwinkle Palmer of Cornell University was chosen president of Sigma Delta Epsilon, graduate women's scientific fraternity, yesterday.

Dr. Ruth Adams of Duke University was chosen first vice-president; Dr. Echo Pepper of the University of Illinois, treasurer, and Dr. Mabel Walter of MacMurray college, Jacksonville, Ill., alumnae affairs chairman.

WASHINGTON—When the unemployment census figures are made public next week they will be breath-taking whoppers. For they far exceed anything expected, even by Census Chief John D. Biggers. Privately he predicted a total of not more than 5,000,000, including both full and partially jobless.

But preliminary computations show a total of over 10,000,000 and experts now working on the count expect the final figure to be between 10,500,000 and 11,000,000.

Partially and totally unemployed are about evenly divided. This means that the number of completely idle is greater than the total which Biggers expected for all classifications.

However, this is only part of the story. The Biggers census does not include recent unemployment. It was taken during the week of November 16-20, and since then both WPA and Bureau of Labor Statistics show more and more men out of work. Some experts place the number of jobs lost since November 20 at around 1,000,000.

Men and Mrs. Roosevelt  
No one can deride the American male to Mrs. Roosevelt and get away with it.

At a press conference last week, Mademoiselle Mary Pos, a visiting Netherlands newspaper woman, remarked: "In travelling about the world I find that women in most countries, and especially here, are stronger than the men. Do you think, Mrs. Roosevelt, that we are coming into a woman's age?"

"I can only judge by my own country," Mrs. Roosevelt replied, "and I should say that we most certainly are not at the point where women are stronger than men."

"But," persisted the questioner, "American women are so clever and have such powerful positions."

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PICTURE STORY OF SINKING OF PANAY IS SEEN

New York, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The photographic story of the sinking of the U. S. S. Panay by Japanese bombs—a story of gallantly futile resistance before the Stars and Stripes sank with the stricken warcraft in the slow waters of the Yangtze—was put before the American public today.

It had a preview last night before a small group of picture executives and reporters, in a rough little projection room at a guarded Fort Lee, N. J., laboratory.

In a dispassionate monotone, newscel cameraman Norman Allen explained his extraordinary pictorial record of a 20-minute incident across the world which threatened grave rupture between Washington and Tokyo until complete Japanese apologies were accepted by this government.

The film held no record of an incident which survivors have described orally—the machine gun attack on the Panay by an armed detachment of Japanese in a launch after the bombing. The Japanese have denied it did occur; Alley and other survivors say it did.

The film was made by Universal Newsreel and it was in Universal's plant that it was given its preview.

To Ask Rehearing Of Court Decision

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Notice of intention to file a petition for a rehearing of the Illinois supreme court decision upholding the right of downstate judges to sit on Cook county benches and draw extra money for their expenses was filed today by State's Attorney Thomas J. Courtney of Chicago.

Fred B. Hammill, attorney for Campaign county, notified the court he would ask a rehearing of its decision holding that the Illinois Water Service company need not be taxed in the community in which it transacts its principal business.

Double Holiday to be Observed in City

Dixonites will enjoy another double holiday over the coming week-end in celebration of New Year's. Business generally will be suspended for Saturday and Sunday. The court, city hall and public library, business houses and professional offices will be closed for the two day period. The post-office will observe the customary holiday rules, there being no delivery of mails on any of the city or rural routes, the only activity being the regular collection and dispatch of mails. There will be no edition of The Telegraph on the holiday.



THURSDAY, DEC. 30, 1937  
(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and vicinity: Mostly cloudy tonight and Friday; slightly warmer Friday; lowest temperature tonight 30 to 32; gentle shifting winds becoming moderate southwest Friday. Outlook for Saturday: Unsettled with moderate temperature.



# THREAT SMASHES SERVICE STRIKE IN PARIS TODAY

## Settlement Hailed As Political Triumph For Premier

Paris, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Striking public service workers, faced with Premier Camille Chautemps' threat to smash their general walkout by calling them to the colors, accepted a compromise settlement today and went back to work.

The agreement came in the early hours of the morning after labor delegates had shuttled back and forth between their own meetings and government offices through the night.

The strikers, 120,000 strong, were notified to return to their jobs soon after daybreak. Labor leaders said, however, that all the paralyzed services probably would not be restored to normal until noon.

The city's 12 subway lines and all bus lines started carrying passengers at 6 a. m.

Street cleaners and rubbish and garbage collectors started hurried rounds of the capital to catch up with their neglected work.

Electric, gas and water plant workers went back to their posts, swelling the skeleton crews which had assured the city of at least some supplies during the strike.

**Break Workers' Resistance**  
Settlement of the strike when it had been in effect less than 24 hours was hailed in political circles as a triumph for the radical-socialist premier of the people's front regime, whose threat to mobilize the workers as members of the French army was credited with breaking the workers' resistance.

Under the government's threat the strikers themselves would have become strikebreakers—called out as army reserves, sent back to the same municipal jobs from which they had walked out and ordered to maintain transportation, water, gas and light supplies as well as other services they had crippled or halted.

The compromise gave the protesting municipal workers a 70-franc-a-month (\$2.31) living allowance—sort of a raise to meet increased living costs.

But while public service employees, most of whom are army reservists, resumed their posts, a thousand coal miners at Anzin, near Valenciennes, quit work in protest against discharge of three miners.

Minister of Labor Andre Frevier was trying to negotiate other Paris strikes, affecting food truckers, warehouses and the Goodrich Rubber company plant.

Six hundred sailors at Rouen, whose recent walkout tied up 35 ships, continued on strike.

## EVIDENCE FOUND CONCERNING CASE OF MISSING PAIR

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—New evidence that the "Mrs. Donald L. Robinson" figuring in a mysterious Moscow disappearance might be an American citizen prompted the state department today to intensify its efforts toward her identification.

The department sent a photograph of a woman answering her general description to the American embassy at the Russian capital. The picture was that of Ruth Marie Rubens of New York, born Ruth Boerger at Philadelphia.

If embassy officials decide the woman are the same, authorities said, they will call on the Soviet government for information as to her whereabouts.

"Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Robinson" are believed to be under arrest, but Soviet Ambassador Trojansky has said here he did not believe they were American citizens. He suggested the couple might be in detention for an espionage investigation.

A couple listed on passport records as "Adolph Arnold Rubens and Ruth Marie Rubens" sailed from New York to Naples in October under circumstances which have led to speculation at the state department that the "Rubens" couple and the "Robinsons" might be the same. The "Robinsons" vanished a few weeks later in Moscow.

Investigators located a bona fide Adolph Arnold Rubens in Chicago, whose proof of citizenship was used by the man known under the same name.

The "Robinsons" had passports made out in the names of persons long dead. Investigators found that these passports, as well as that obtained in the name of Rubens, were cleared the same day through the office of Former County Clerk Albert Marinelli in New York City.

**SHIP'S SALE HURTS NEVADA**  
Carson City, Nev.—(AP)—Although an inland state and largely desert, Nevada had been enjoying a neat bit of revenue from the big liner Leviathan.

This was disclosed when the vessel was sold recently to Great Britain for scrap iron. The United States Lines, former owner of the liner, is a Nevada corporation and the ship was carried on the assessment rolls at \$50,000.

Plant stems are said to be geonegative because they grow against gravity, but their roots are geopositive since they grow with gravity.

# As Panay Sank After Japanese Bombing



The United States gunboat Panay settling in the murky waters of the Yangtze river as she went to the bottom after being repeatedly bombed by Japanese planes. The bombing of the Panay and three other

American ships, with a loss of four lives, created an international incident that was closed only by President Roosevelt's acceptance of Japan's apologies and promises that there would be no further attacks on Americans.

## Economy Block of Dixie Democrats Determined for a Balance

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—An economy bloc composed of 10 southern Democratic representatives, it was learned today, is drafting a detailed budget-balancing program for submission to President Roosevelt.

One member, who declined to be quoted by name, said the legislators had banded together to seek cuts in federal expenditures "all down the line" and especially in agencies created during the last few years.

He said each member would report to the group on a specific appropriation before the president's annual budget message is presented to congress next week.

The bloc is considering demanding drastic cuts in the works progress administration, the public works administration and federal highway aid.

Members recently discussed the possibility of asking that WPA be discontinued entirely and that an annual appropriation of about \$500,000,000 be substituted for outright purchase of food and clothing for needy. The relief appropriation for this year was \$1,500,000,000.

Whether the 1938-39 budget can be balanced is a question which has brought varying answers among federal officials. Roosevelt has said he hopes to balance it, but advocates of increased relief spending predict a deficit.

The budget submitted next week probably will omit relief estimates, to be filled in next spring when needs can better be determined. Roosevelt also has said he may make supplemental requests for more naval construction.

## SMITH, DODSON PLAYING OFF 72-HOLE TIE

Hollywood, Fla., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Happy-go-lucky Leonard Dodson of Springfield, Mo., and smooth-stroking Horton Smith of Chicago matched shots over the 18-hole route today for top money in the \$4,000 Hollywood Beach hotel open.

Tied at 278 after a hectic 72-hole scramble, Dodson and Smith met with the difference between \$750 and \$550 at stake. In addition, they split half of the gallery receipts.

Dodson, comparatively unknown despite his victories in the Ohio State and Philadelphia opens this year, was willing to wage he could trim his more noted rival.

**Beat Cooper**  
"I've never lost a playoff," he pointed out. Dodson defeated Harry Cooper after tying at Philadelphia.

Trailing by two strokes at 54 holes, Smith cracked out a three-under-par 67 to overtake Dodson. Smith sank a seven-foot putt on the final green for a birdie that pulled him even.

Dick Metz of Chicago, the 54-hole leader, won the \$400 third money at 280 after slipping to 72 on the last round. Craig Wood of Rumson, N. J., finished fourth at 281 and earned \$350.

Four others—Paul Runyan of White Plains, N. Y., and Ralph Guldahl, national champion, Tommy Armour of Boca Raton, Fla., and Frank Moore of Mamaroneck, N. Y.—tied for fifth at 282 to collect \$237.50 each.

Herman Barron of White Plains, N. Y., and Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., tied for ninth at 283 and pocketed \$145 each.

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## BUSINESS HITS PAVE WAY FOR FDR'S MESSAGE

### Secretary Ickes Will Speak Over Radio Tonight

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Outspoken attacks on "big business" by high administration officials provided a prelude today for President Roosevelt's annual message to Congress.

The continuity of the attack, left little doubt that it was a pre-arranged staging for the address, in which the Chief Executive generally is expected to outline his program for meeting the business recession.

Speaking in Philadelphia yesterday, Assistant Attorney General Robert H. Jackson charged business with "a general strike" designed to "liquidate the New Deal." Tonight over a national radio hook-up (NBC at 8 P. M. C. S. T.), Secretary Ickes will carry on in similar vein under the title, "It is Happening Here."

Members of Congress showed conflicting reactions to the Jackson speech, but they generally interpreted it as a reflection of the current administration attitude which the President will expound Monday.

**To Decline It in Person**  
To emphasize the importance of his annual message, Mr. Roosevelt has announced he would deliver it in person.

Great significance has been attached by Washington observers to the tone of recent administration speeches. They followed a period of apparent indecision over future policies in view of the business situation.

Spokesmen for "left wing" administration followers were beginning to express the belief that the President was yielding to business demands. Conservative elements in the Democratic party had started to congratulate Mr. Roosevelt for showing a more friendly attitude toward industry.

It was Jackson who started the ball rolling in the other direction Sunday night in a speech blaming monopolistic "profiteering" for high prices and the current business slump.

**JAPAN HONORS ANIMALS**  
Tokyo.—(AP)—Attended by high-ranking Japanese army officers, a ceremony honoring the memory of army animals killed in action was held in Tokyo recently.

Prayers were intoned for the spirits of horses, dogs and pigeons which lost their lives serving the army. A regulation shrine, with the customary funeral gifts was erected in Ueno Zoo, and Tokyo's most popular pet, an elephant, was "chief mourner."

Each time astronomers predict the time of an eclipse, they are making use of the known distance to the sun. This is but one of the many ways which prove our definite knowledge of solar distances.

## Panay's Executive Officer Wounded



Chief Boatswain's Mate E. R. Mahlmann, standing, and Lieut. A. F. Anders, executive officer of the Panay, who conducted her defense and evacuation after her commander was injured, on the Yangtze shore after the gunboat sank. Both were wounded.

## NEW YEAR'S EVE GAY FUN NIGHT AT WHITE HOUSE

### President's Sons To Give Party For 400 Guests, Fiancee

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Automobiles will leave 400 party-decked college students at the White House tonight for a dance given by the president's two youngest sons for the ladies of their choice: Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., and Anne Lindsay Clark, blonde Bostonian engaged to John Roosevelt.

Inside the executive mansion, still glistening with Christmas trees and bright with poinsettias, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will greet the guests. She returned home early today from a holiday visit in the Seattle home of her daughter, Mrs. John Boettiger.

The president, if his work permits will spend an hour in the east room meeting his sons' friends. His mother also will be there.

Dancing to Eddy Duchin's orchestra will start at 10 P. M. and continue to the sma' hours. Duchin is prepared to play everything from a waltz for Mrs. Roosevelt to the "Big Apple" for her sons.

The first lady always takes a turn

## First Aid for Sailor Wounded on Panay



Lieut. C. G. Grazier, right, Panay surgeon, and Seaman N. D. Rider giving first aid to Alex Kozak, a wounded member of the crew of the U. S. gunboat Panay. This photo was made shortly after the survivors of the Japanese bombing attack reached shore and before they found shelter. Copyright, 1937 NEA Service, Inc.

## Panay Survivors in Native Boat



Six of the victims of the Panay bombing, three seriously injured, riding in a native sampan at Hanshan, China before they were picked up by the U. S. S. Oahu and carried to Shanghai. An officer is on a stretcher, head toward camera; two other men are in the sheltered part of the craft. Copyright, 1937, NEA Service, Inc.

## UNCLE SAM WILL CONTINUE PURCHASING SILVER

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau announced today the treasury had agreed to continue buying silver from Canada, China and Mexico at least through January.

The Mexican arrangement for January had been disclosed earlier this week. Morgenthau said today the same treatment would be extended to Canada.

He also announced that the long-standing agreement by which the United States promised to buy silver from China with that nation buying gold from the United States had been extended until July 1, 1938.

The secretary said the Mexican and Canadian agreements merely

provide that the United States will buy up to fixed amounts of newly-mined silver from those countries at prices to be determined next month.

In the last year the price has been 45 cents an ounce, compared with 77.57 cents an ounce the treasury pays for new silver mined in the United States.

This domestic price expires tomorrow night unless extended by President Roosevelt. The President has said he would announce some action before the deadline.

In the last three years the United States has also purchased silver from many countries other than those covered by today's announcement but Morgenthau said no formal understanding guided those purchases.

Corn is the leading American crop in value, with 92,000,000 acres planted in 1935. During the same year, wheat acreage in the United States totaled 49,000,000 and oats acreage 39,000,000.

Diamonds are of the same material as the soot of a lamp chimney, or the so-called "lead" of a pencil, but with the molecules arranged differently.

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One little sip and the ordinary cough is eased—a few doses and that tough old hang-on cough is seldom heard again—it's really wonderful to watch how speedily hard, lingering colds are out of business. BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE is now on sale at all good stores—over 9 million bottles have been sold in cold-wintry Canada.

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# Society News

## CALENDAR

### Thursday

W. M. S. of Presbyterian church—Mrs. Mark C. Keller.  
M. F. Women's Home Missionary Society—Mrs. H. D. Bills.

### Monday

O. E. S. Parlor club—Masonic Temple.

### Friday

Annual Watch Party — Brethren church.

## Watch Party Will Be Held At Church

The annual watch party of the Brethren church will be held Friday night in the basement of the church. Members and friends are invited to attend all or any part of the program. The program will begin at 8:30 with the singing of hymns that everyone likes and a short devotional period. At nine o'clock the Rev. H. J. Doran, pastor of the Presbyterian church will bring a New Year's greeting and sing. A miscellaneous program will follow with refreshments at 11 o'clock.

At mid-night the group will stand in a circle, join hands and sing, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." At this time when there is so much confusion in the world and some nations at war, it will be fitting to thus meet and recall the blessings of the old year and pray that the new year may be one of peace, prosperity, and good will around the world. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

## Relatives Honor Mrs. David Wade

A delightful time was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wade last Tuesday night when a group of relatives met in honor of the birthday of Mrs. David Wade. Mr. and Mrs. David Wade had been invited to the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wade for supper, but when they arrived they found that others had also been invited and the happy group were all wishing for Mrs. Wade a happy birthday. A delightful dinner was served by Mrs. Allen Wade which included a beautiful birthday cake. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and before the group departed for their homes they all thanked the hostess for the pleasant evening in her home, and wished for Mrs. David Wade who is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. William E. Thompson, many more happy birthdays. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wade, Mrs. Kate Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butterbaugh and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Geigle and little daughter Janice, Mr. and Mrs. David Wade and daughter, Donna Mae, and Rev. and Mrs. William E. Thompson, Marie and Billy.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY IS HELD FOR JUDITH ANN—

Mrs. Roy Randall entertained a number of children yesterday afternoon in celebration of the birthday of her little granddaughter, Judith Ann Randall. The youngsters played games, enjoyed a pretty birthday cake and presented Judith Ann with a number of pretty gifts.

## O. E. S. PARLOR CLUB TO MEET—

The O. E. S. Parlor club will meet at the Masonic Temple at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon for a dessert-luncheon, the hostesses for which will be Miss Ruth Browns and the Mesdames Arthur Orth, J. C. Graff, Harry Gardner and Henry Ketchin.

## WITH PARENTS FOR HOLIDAY—

Miss Edna Helander, student at the West Suburban hospital in Oak Park, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Helander.

## ENTERTAINS AT SHOWER—

Mrs. Don Brooks entertained at a shower at her home in Oregon yesterday in honor of Mrs. Joseph Reed, Jr., a recent bride.

## HOLIDAY GUESTS—

Mrs. M. M. Rosenberg, manager of the Dixie shop, had as her guests over the holidays her mother and brother, Mrs. Ethel Covert and son George of Iowa City, Ia.

## LICENSED IN CLINTON—

Illinois citizens licensed to wed in Clinton, Ia. this week included: Gus Pabst and Grace Harris, both of Dixon; and Paul Bodmer of Compton and Ruth Newhausen of Amboy.

## ENTERTAIN BEFORE DANCE—

Mr. and Mrs. George Beler entertained a group of friends last night before the Country Club dance at the Masonic Temple.

## WILL ATTEND HOUSE PARTY—

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Countryman will attend a house party in Park Ridge over New Year's Day.

## BRIDGE CLUB—

Mrs. S. W. Lehman of Bluff Park entertained her bridge club on Tuesday.

## Of Interest to Women

### 'Fried' Eggs and Bacon

5 strips bacon  
5 eggs

1/2 teaspoon paprika  
1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon celery salt  
1 tablespoon boiling water

Place bacon in a frying pan. Heat slowly and pour off fat as soon as it collects. When the bacon is "dry" and crisp, toss it to one side of the pan or place in a warming oven while the eggs are frying.

Place 2 tablespoons of the poured off bacon fat in the frying pan. Add eggs one at a time and sprinkle with seasonings. Cover with lid. After one minute add water and cook slowly until a film forms over the top of the eggs. Cook over a moderate fire to prevent "spluttering" and too brown eggs. Remove eggs to platter. Top with bacon.

### Manchester Pumpkin Pie

1 baked pie shell

1 cup cooked pumpkin

4 tablespoons flour

1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 cup brown sugar

2 teaspoons cinnamon

1 teaspoon cloves

1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

1 1/2 cups milk

1/2 cup cream

3 egg yolks

3 egg whites, beaten

1/2 cup granulated sugar

Mix pumpkin with flour, salt, brown sugar and spices. Add milk and cream. Cook in double boiler for ten minutes. Stir frequently. Add yolks and cook five minutes. Cool slightly. Beat whites. Add granulated sugar and beat until creamy. Pour pumpkin mixture into baked pie shell. Cover with egg white combination. Bake for 15 minutes in a slow oven.

## Miss Lola Mades Of Polo Is Bride On Tuesday Night

Miss Lola Margaret Mades, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mades of Polo, and Toivo E. Rine, son of Mrs. Katherine Rine of Cloquet, Minn., were united in marriage at an 8 o'clock candle light ceremony Tuesday night in the bride's home in Polo. The single ring ceremony was read by Rev. Sidney Bloomquist, Polo Methodist church pastor.

The bride wore a full length white lace gown over satin and a tulle and lace veil which fell from a tiara of roses and lilies of the valley on her head. She carried a shower bouquet. Miss Ruby Moen of Inwood as maid of honor was attired in a forest green gown and carried yellow Talsman roses. Forrest Mades of Polo, the bride's only brother, was best man.

The house was decorated with evergreen and silver and white decorations and piano and violin music was played by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rose of Toledo, O.

A buffet supper was served to the 60 wedding guests by five friends of the bride, Mrs. Helen Franks, Mrs. Leota Bomberger, Mrs. Janet Doyle, Mrs. Jean Mades and Miss Eugenia Clinton of Polo.

The couple left immediately after their wedding for Colfax where they will be at home to their friends after Jan. 3.

## Surprise Party In Observance Of 2 Birthdays

A birthday surprise party for Clifford Miller was held at the home of his parents, 1223 West Seventh street, Tuesday evening.

The party also observed the birthday of Mrs. Selma Larson whose birthday occurred Monday. Guests at the party were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haenitsch of Ashton, Claude Haenitsch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heaton, Charles Haenitsch, and Mr. and Mrs. Larson and son Charles.

## MR. AND MRS. JOHN FELLOWS ENTERTAINING—

Mr. and Mrs. John Fellows are today quietly celebrating their 32nd wedding anniversary at their home, 723 Peoria ave.

## MEETING IS POSTPONED—

The regular meeting of the Girl Scouts Council, scheduled for next Monday morning, has been postponed one week, until Jan. 10.

## WEEK END VISITOR—

Ted Wallin of Perrinton, Mich. spent the week end with his parents and friends.

In commemoration of the founding of the college in 1907, the faculty of Pittsburg Teachers' College, Pittsburg, Kan., passes out apples to the pupils on March 27 each year.

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## Ashton News

Ashton — Friends and relatives here were saddened to hear of the death of Mrs. Clayton Bowers, which occurred at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital in Dixon Tuesday at 5:20 P. M. Mrs. Bower has been in poor health for some time and had been a patient at the hospital for several months. She underwent several operations in the hope of improving her health, but the best of medical care was of no avail.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning from St. Patrick's Catholic church in Rochelle the funeral party leaving the home here at 9:30. The services will be conducted by Rev. Father Thomas O'Brien, and interment will be made in the Ashton cemetery.

Amelia Dressler was born a Reindorf, Christ Mensterberg, Germany, March 15, 1868. She came to America in the summer of 1891.

Thirty-six years ago on Feb. 25, 1902 Miss Dressler was united in marriage with Clayton W. Bowers of this place and they have lived on their farm near Ashton since then.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowers had no children of their own, but upon the death of Mrs. Bowers' sister, Mrs. John Empey, the four little Empey children were taken into the Bowers home where they were as carefully raised as though they were their own children. The children were Erma, now Mrs. Delbert Bickford of Central City, Iowa; Bernard of Ashton, Frances of Peoria and Gertrude, now Mrs. P. L. Ellis of Syracuse. Another child reared in the Bowers home was George Bowers, a nephew of Mr. Bowers whom they took at the age of five.

She is survived by her husband, five foster children, three brothers and a sister who reside in Germany, besides other relatives.

Mrs. Bowers lived a busy useful life and she will be remembered for her good deeds. Her Christian life was beautiful from its beginning to its close, and her faith in God and her church never wavered.

Mrs. Marcus Ventler, daughter Miss Florence, Mrs. Katie J. Hart and Mrs. Caroline Vaupe were dinner guests Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Brecht and family of Bradford township.

Mrs. Oliver Nelson and son Claude were included in a dinner group who were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wilson of Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Farver and daughter Ann will spend New Year's Day at Downers Grove. They will be dinner guests of Mr. Farver's grandmother, Mrs. Henry Greenburg.

At the S. S. and church election of the Evangelical church held on Wednesday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Trustee—John M. Killmer.  
S. S. Supt.—L. H. Jennings.  
Asst. Supt.—Glenn Ploutz.  
Secretary—Melinda Reitz.  
Assist. Sec.—Lyle Naylor.

Treas.—Joy W. Sandrock.  
John J. Wagner and daughter Miss Alta entertained at dinner on Monday, Mrs. Frank S. Harid and son Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn C. Rosecrans, daughter Mary Ethel, and Mr. and Mrs. William F. Klinebier and son James motored to Dixon Tuesday afternoon to attend the funeral services of Frank Buhler, father of LeRoy Buhler of Palmyra township. Mrs. LeRoy Buhler is a sister of Mrs. Rosecrans and Mrs. Klingebier.

Miss Mildred Bowers came out from Chicago Tuesday afternoon to spend her vacation here. She will remain to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Clayton Bowers.

An 8 1/2 lb baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Clark of Sterling on Christmas Day. They have three other children, Douglas, Joyce, and Martha beside the new arrival. The Clarks were former proprietors of the bakery here and Mr. Clark now owns a large bakery in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hart, daughter Rosemary and son Wayne and Mr. Hart's mother, Mrs. Katie J. Mart were entertained at dinner this noon at the Charles Hart home in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohart, Jr., had as their guests at dinner on Christmas Day a number of relatives from Compton. Those in the party were Mrs. Minnie Herrier and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Max Burley and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Burley and Mrs. Augusta Burley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krug, daughter Clara and Miss Helen Kersten spent Wednesday afternoon in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Schaller, son Herbert and daughter Gwen-

## An Apology

The Telegraph apologizes to its readers for its inability to present the second installment of the story of Walnut today, as had been anticipated. The press of post-Christmas matter which came into this office as a result of the double holiday has made it impossible to get the second part of the story of the hustling Bureau county town into type for presentation this week. However it will be published early next week.

dolyn motored to Earlville, Iowa on Friday afternoon, returning Monday. They spent Christmas Day and Sunday with relatives there, Milford Wisman had charge of the Schaller meat market during Mr. Schaller's absence.

Miss Esther Nass who teaches in Rockford spent Christmas and her holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary Nass.

Miss Madeline Berry, who teaches in the public school at Morrison is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Berry. On Christmas Day their daughter, Mrs. Curtis Gleason, husband and children were dinner guests at the Berry home.

Miss Jane Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schmidt of near Earlville is spending her holiday vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Katherine Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Heibenthal and Mrs. Emma Yenerich are being entertained at dinner this noon at the home of John J. Wagner and daughter Alta.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stephan were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Augustson of Galesburg. Mrs. Tena Marxman of Rochelle and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hockersmith and son of this city were also guests.

Miss Muriel Yenerich who attends school at Evanston, a former music teacher of the local high school, is spending a few days here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clover.

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Wood and Mrs. Martha Eisenberg will be accompanied to Elgin by Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Frey of DeKalb. They will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Herwig and family of Newton were guests several days last week at the home of Mr. Herwig's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herwig.

On Tuesday Charles Kurz celebrated his 69th birthday and the members of his family were guests at his home at a turkey dinner. A lovely birthday cake with 69 candles, baked by Mrs. Walter Kurz, formed the centerpiece at the dinner table. The guests at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kurz and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kurz and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Kurz and daughter Helen and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Weiner of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurz and sons Harold and Orville of near Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Kaecker entertained on Tuesday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. William Sietz and baby daughter of near Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weiner and daughter Dollie of Reynolds township.

Presbyterian Church  
Rev. Louis F. Grafton, pastor  
Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.  
Evening service at 7 o'clock.  
Pioneer meeting, Tuesday, 7 P. M.

Start the New Year by going to church.

St. John's Lutheran Church  
Rev. F. W. Henke, pastor  
Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 A. M.  
Worship service at 10:30 A. M.  
Subject of sermon: "The Second Commandment."

Special New Year's service at 10 A. M. Annual congregational meeting after this service.

St. John's Ladies Aid society meets at the church Thursday, Jan. 6 at 1:30 P. M.

Luther League meeting Thursday, Jan. 6 at 8 P. M.

Evangelical Church  
Rev. Park O. Bailey, pastor  
Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.  
Morning worship hour, 10:30.  
Mission band—10:30 A. M.  
E. L. C. E.—7 P. M.

No evening preaching. Special music, candle light service, and installation of the newly elected league officers. Come and bring your friends.

Methodist Church  
Rev. Ralph M. Dreger, pastor  
Sunday school at 9 A. M.  
Morning service at 10 A. M.  
Epworth league 6 P. M. led by Miss Norma Jenkins. New Year's eve there will be a party at the

## Perjury?

### FBI Asked to Make Investigation of Bomb Trial Evidence

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Possible repercussions from the government's trial and conviction of 36 men for Illinois coal field conspiracy bombings loomed today as the federal bureau of investigation was asked to probe perjury charges in the case.

U. S. District Attorney Howard Doyle, acting at the suggestion of Judge Charles G. Briggie, made the request yesterday in a letter, suggesting special agents be assigned to the investigation immediately.

Judge Briggie had declared that "perjury was rampant" in the five-weeks' trial, asserting that "neither side had any monopoly on the offense." He urged prosecutors to continue their investigation of the case to the end that the "guilty be punished."

Doyle said he asked for an investigation "of the whole affair" and urged it be done as soon as possible in an effort to get a report before the January grand jury convenes here.

Nearly 400 witnesses were called to the stand by both sides during the trial which involved the bitter and violent dispute between the Progressive miners and the United Mine Workers between 1932 and 1935. Many of the items of evidence were supported by conflicting versions.

Meanwhile, Circuit Court of Appeals Judge J. Earl Major of Chicago arranged to confer with chief defense counsel A. M. Fitzgerald here today on whether the three-dozen men should be allowed a stay of sentence and bail pending an appeal. Judge Briggie denied both in imposing the maximum penalties.

church sponsored by the Good Will Circle, Mrs. Orpha Knapp's class. There will be a scramble supper at 6:30 o'clock and an evening of entertainment. An appropriate devotional service will close the old year and begin the new year.

Reynolds and Scarboro Churches  
Rev. George A. Walters, pastor  
W. B. Tarr, Assistant pastor  
Reynolds—

Sunday school at 9:30 A. M.

Morning worship—10:30.

Evening service at 7 o'clock.

Scarboro—

Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Morning service at 11 o'clock.

E. L. C. E.—7 P. M.

Evening service at 7:30.

Nothing could be better for a New Year's resolution than to determine to go to church every Sunday. Like other New Year's resolutions, it might be difficult to keep this one during the year. There are so many things and attractions that call one away from God's house on Sunday, but if this becomes a fixed habit, only emergencies of an unusual character will detain us from worshipping God with others in the church. What is your decision?

## No Test Collision, Spectators Angry

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Hundreds of spectators evidenced disappointment when Louisville & Nashville railroad officials, investigating the cause of the Christmas Eve wreck here with a 12-car train, did not produce a test collision.

Apparently the crowd expected one as officials were bombarded with such questions as "when will the trains run together."

"Shucks," said a woman spectator when informed there would be no collision, "I wouldn't have gone if I'd known that."

The purpose of the train runs was to check on Engineer Sam E. Harris' claim that failure of airbrakes caused his train to ram into another at the station, injuring 25 persons.

Results of the tests were withheld pending completion of the investigation.

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

### OPEN BIBLE TABERNACLE

During the absence of the pastor of the Open Bible tabernacle, Evangelist Sherman Miller will be in charge of the meetings. Evangelist Miller was here several weeks at the beginning of the tent meetings last summer and many learned to love him. He will bring the message on Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M.

Rev. Wm. Slipp has left for the West Coast where he will spend a few weeks.

### Elsie Neff School of

### Dancing

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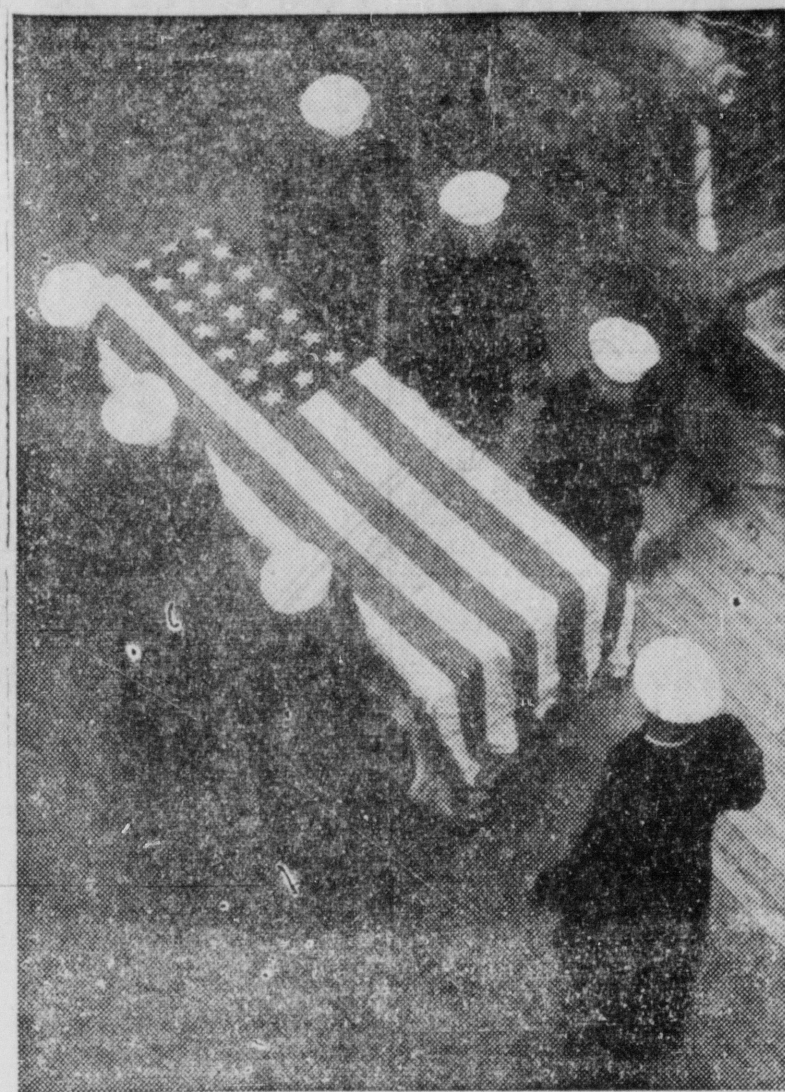
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## Navy Honors Panay Dead



A flag-draped casket of one of the Panay bombing victims being carried aboard the fleet flagship, the U. S. S. Augusta, after the arrival of victims and survivors at Shanghai.

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## Air-Conditioning Threatens Water Supply In Cities

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—(AP)—

Faced with a threatening shortage of water supplies through the increased use of air conditioning, public health department engineers are studying methods of returning waste water from the cooling units to the ground.

"Underground water supplies already are being seriously depleted in some Illinois communities and the situation threatens to grow worse," the department reported in a bulletin today. "In the disposal of spent water used in cooling systems, sewers are taxed, sewage treatment plants are overloaded and the ground is robbed of reserve water."

The problem is to return the waste water to the ground in a condition that will not jeopardize public health.

## POISON KILLS DEERS

Los Angeles.—(AP)—The mysterious death of many deer in the country back of Los Angeles is being investigated by state officials.

Donald D. McLean, economic biologist, found bodies of 103 of the animals in an area nine miles long. All had been healthy just before they died, apparently of poison.

The only symptom observable was a "rather blind wandering toward water," McLean said.

## FUNERAL OF EX-MAYOR OF POLO AT 2 TOMORROW

### Horatio Wales Will Be Laid To Rest In Fairmount Cemetery

The funeral of Horatio Wales, 85, former mayor of Polo and life long resident of that community, who died Wednesday morning, will be held at his home, 312 West Mason street, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, the Rev. Richard Graebel, pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating, and with burial in Fairmount cemetery. Members of the Odd Fellows lodge, of which Mr. Wales had been a member for over 60 years, will be in charge of the services at the grave.

The deceased suffered a broken hip in September and had been a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital here for some time, being returned to his home about six weeks ago. He never fully recovered from the injury.

Mr. Wales was born in Polo, Nov. 27, 1852, and had spent his entire life in and near Polo. He was instrumental in securing Polo's first sewage plant. He served as mayor of Polo from 1905 until 1909. He was a retired farmer, and engaged in the implement business for many years.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. Helen Swanson and Frank Wales, both of Polo, and Horatio Wales, of Washington, D. C. His wife preceded him in death many years ago.

## INSUFFICIENT FUNDS

Belleville, Ill.—(AP)—Mayor George Remsnider declared today firemen and policemen will have to institute mandamus proceeding to collect salaries of \$175 a month under the new state law, as the city has not sufficient funds to pay the addition of an estimated \$25,440 yearly over the present payroll.

Remsnider said he would not consider a suggestion that handbooks be licensed here to pay the additional salaries.

The buying and selling of girls and women is still a legalized and licensed business in Tokio.

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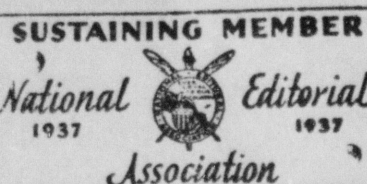
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## DODGING FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

Forbes' Magazine says that the loudly advertised "Government housing plan" turns out to be little more than a request to private interests to get busy.

The extent the government has found it convenient to go is to propose more money at low interest rates. When the government comes to a fundamental principle that can not be met without opposing a large group of voters, it gets around the situation by offering to get people into debt at a lower rate of interest. People who have too many debts already are offered the cure of borrowing more money.

The government knows, as everybody knows, what is the matter with the residential building industry and why it bogged down. The politicians only dodge the real difficulty and talk about lending more money at a lower rate.

"Building wage rates are out of line with the rates of pay received by ordinary earners," says Forbes' Magazine. "But most building tradesmen suffer from extremely irregular employment. A compromise, insuring steadier work at lower wages per day, should not prove beyond human ingenuity."

"Not so long ago the New Dealers were taking all the credit for the revival from the depths of the economic depression. But now that recession has set in, they are anxious to pass the ball, pass the buck, to the classes they have ceaselessly maligned and bespattered with mud, industrial and other employers. Such are the ways and wiles of politicians."

People who acquire homes in these days are, in large part, compelled to purchase property out of which the inflation has squeezed during the readjustment in the depression. Dwellings that cost too much passed to the banks and other creditors, at the price of the mortgages, and eventually the excessive costs went out and a fair market price was established.

In a much larger way the apartment houses that cost too much were refinanced and placed on an operating basis.

Raymond R. Walker of Rock Island, secretary of the Illinois Association of Real Estate Boards, recently announced the answers to questionnaires returned to the board, in a customer survey. A majority of the answers said they bought houses instead of building them, because the building costs were too high.

Idle men in the building industry have made up the largest single group of persons on relief, relief agencies have said. Either they stay idle and on relief waiting for the industry to meet its market, or they go into other industries and work at lower hourly rates of pay in competition with other men.

If the administration would devote half the energy to getting prices down where people can pay them that it has devoted to getting them up out of reach, it wouldn't be experiencing so much of a depression as now has overcome it.

Anybody can scramble eggs, but who is going to unscramble them?

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY by Baer



"I'm sorry you're way past your stop but if you'd take advantage of a Telegraph classified ad used car you wouldn't get into jams like this."

## RADIO

## Outstanding Programs For Tonight and Tomorrow Listed

## TONIGHT

6:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WLW, WHO  
Easy Aces—WENR  
6:15 Varieties—WMAQ  
Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR  
Screen Scoops—WBBM  
6:30 News—WMAQ  
We the People—WBBM  
7:00 Rudy Vallee—WMAQ  
Kate Smith—WBBM  
Gen. Hugh Johnson—WENR  
7:30 March of Time—WLS  
8:00 Good News of 1938—WMAQ  
Major Bowes Amateur Hour—WBBM  
8:30 Town Meeting—WENR  
9:00 Music Hall—WMAQ  
9:30 Jamboree—WENR  
10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ  
Poetic Melodies—WBBM

## SHORT WAVE PROGRAM For Thursday

6:30 Sportsmen talking—GSJ GSO  
7:30 At the Black Dog—GSJ GSO  
9:00 50th Anniv. of the Concertgebouw—PHI  
9:55 H. M. Central Royal Air Force band—GSF GSG  
1:20 Peter Dawson—GSJ GSI  
4:45 Far East and Japan in 1937—JZJ JZJ  
5:15 The year is getting old—DJB DJC

## Evening

6:20 "The Year in Scotland", John R. Allan—GSC GSD  
7:00 Christmas concert—GSC GSD  
7:15 Mariblanca—YV5RC  
7:30 Snow voyage—DJB DJC DJD  
7:30 Milestones of Advancing Physics—WIXAL (6.04)  
7:45 Today's Youth—WIXAL (6.04)  
7:45 Vocal and instrumental concert—2RO3  
8:00 "Developments in Land Reclamation", H. E. Tassmar—WIXAL (6.04)  
8:30 Band concert—2RO3  
8:45 News of the stage and movies—DJB  
9:30 Spanish popular music—PRADO  
9:30 Club of Notions—DJB DJC DJD  
9:45 Philharmonic string trio—GSC GSD  
10:00 Canadian hour—HH2S  
10:45 Fred Hartley's sextet—GSC GSD

## FRIDAY

## Morning

7:00 Musical Clock—WBBM  
8:00 Breakfast Club—WCFL  
8:30 Whistler and His Dog—WMAQ  
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7:45 Talk, "Pathways to Peace"—WIXAL (6.04)

7:45 A Concert of songs and marches—2RO3

8:00 New Year's Celebration in Iceland and the Canary Islands—TFJ EAJ43

8:00 Woman's Page—W3XAL (17.78)

8:05 Concert of request numbers—2RO3

8:05 The Chelsea Arts Ball—GSC GSD

8:15 Across the Footlights—WIXAL (6.04)

9:00 Program for Latin America—WIXAL (11.79)

9:15 Special New Year's Concert—DJB

9:55 Who's Here for Hogmanay—GSC GSD

10:00 New Year's Celebration in Rio de Janeiro—PSH (10.22)

11:00 New Year's Celebration in Buenos Aires—LRX

11:00 Program from Tahiti—FO8AA

11:30 New Year's Celebration in Venezuela—YV5RC

12:00 Mid. New Year's Celebration in Cuba, Colombia, Panama, COCH COCO COCQ HJABP HJTABD (9.63) HP5A HP5J

12:15 KDKA DX Club—W8XK (6.14)

Morning

1:00 New Year's Celebration in Mexico and Costa Rica—XEWV (9.5) TIRC (6.55)

TIPG (6.41)

SATURDAY

Morning

7:00 Musical Clock—WBBM

8:00 Breakfast Club—WCFL

8:45 Aunt Jemima—WMAQ

9:15 Chariters—WHO

10:00 Young People's Hour of Music—WOC

10:15 Minute Men—KWK

10:30 Army Band—WGN

11:15 Jean Ellington—WMAQ

11:30 George Hall's Orch.—WHO

Farm &amp; Home Hour—WMAQ

Afternoon

12:30 Club Matinee—WMAQ

12:45 Metropolitan Opera Co.—WMAQ

1:00 Metropolitan Opera Co.—WMAQ

Orange Bowl football game—WOC

Sugar Bowl football game—WMAQ

1:30 Golden Melodies—WHO

1:45 Tours in Tone—WBBM

2:00 Concert Miniatures—WHO

2:30 Fashions in Music—WHO

2:45 Dictators—WBBM

East-West football game—WGN

3:00 Opera—WENR

4:00 Make Believe—WCFL

4:30 Rose Bowl football—WENR

5:00 Truman Bradley—WBBM

5:45 Religion in the News—WMAQ

Evening

6:00 Message of Israel—WENR

Swing Club—WHAS

6:30 Question bee—WMAQ

Band Concert—WBBM

7:00 Your Unseen Friend—WBBM

Robt. L. Ripley—WMAQ

7:30 Johnny Presents—WBBM

Jack Haley's Log Cabin—WMAQ

8:00 Prof. Quiz—WBBM

Barn Dance—WLS

8:15 Chicago Symphony Orch.—WGN

8:30 Special Delivery—WMAQ

Serenade—WBBM

9:00 Hit Parade—WBBM

SHORT WAVE PROGRAM For Saturday

## Morning

5:30 New Year's Celebration in Hawaii—KKH (7.52) KIO (11.68)

6:50 H. M. Scots Guard's band—GSJ GSO

8:35 How New Year's Eve was celebrated in Holland—PHI

9:00 Northern Messenger; messages to those in the Arctic—VE9DN CRXC

11:00 Southernaires—WLS

11:30 University of Chicago Round Table—WMAQ

Radio City Music Hall—WLW

12:00 Radio City Music Hall—WENR

12:30 Spelling Bee—WENR

Smoke Dreams—WMAQ

1:00 Magic Key—WENR

String Quartet—WBBM

1:15 Cook's Travelogues—WMAQ

1:30 Gale Page—WMAQ

Jean Herscholt—WBBM

2:00 Philharmonic Symphony—WBBM

Radio News Reel—WMAQ

There Was a Woman—WENR

2:30 Sunday Drivers—WMAQ

Armo Band—WLW

3:00 Sunday Vespers—WENR

Romance Melodies—WMAQ

3:30 Question Air—WMAQ

Marion Talley—WMAQ

Magazine of the Air—WBBM

Radio Auditions—WENR

Steelmakers—WGN

4:30 Guy Lombardo—KMOX

Mickey Mouse Theater—WMAQ

5:00 Joe Penner—WBBM

Catholic Hour—WMAQ

5:30 Tale of Today—WMAQ

Double Everything—WBBM

Evening

6:00 Dinner Concert—WENR

Jack Benny—WMAQ

Open House—WBBM

6:30 Twilight Musicale—WOC

Fireside Recital—WMAQ

Answer to Yesterday's Twizzler

There were ten combinations for the desk, chair and lamp as follows:

1. Desk alone. 2. Chair alone. 3. Lamp alone. 4. Desk with chair (lamp unsold). 5. Desk with lamp (chair unsold). 6. Chair with lamp (desk unsold). 7. Desk with chair (lamp separately). 8. Desk with chair (lamp separately). 9. Chair with lamp (desk separately). 10. Desk, chair and lamp together.

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Brain Twizzlers

By PROF. J. D. FLINT

THIS IS THE FIRST HOSS PROBLEM THAT EVER THREW ME

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"Bowlegs" Brown was a straight-up horse wrangler. He probably was the best in the west. As a side-line "Bowlegs" prided himself on his artistic technique with a lariat. However, one day he faced a problem new in his experience. Another wrangler was standing in the corral at a point shown by X on the diagram which "Bowlegs" holds in his hand as the picture above shows. He was 30 yards from the gate. Both start for the gate at the same time and Bullet travels four yards while the wrangler travels three yards. Of course Bullet gets to the gate first. "Bowlegs" standing nearby, became curious as to how long a lariat would have to be to catch the horse. He finally figured it out. Can you?

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## LET'S EXPLORE YOUR MIND

A fascinating pastime with "THE MARKS OF A CLEAR MIND"



"The keenest anguish known to human nature is the pain of a new idea," (Bagehot). We hope this column brings you pain.

## Answer to Question No. 1

1. The man who gets up from the restaurant table and looks for a mirror in which to adjust his hat is also usually well dressed in other ways and has a nobby, late-style hat. The man who slaps his chapeau down on his head, pays his check and walks out without touching it is usually dressed to suit the part. But even he has decided this is his way to look his best or else wants to defy conventions and show his importance in that way. Anyway you take it either man is carrying out the personality picture he wants others to have of him.

## Answer to Question No. 2

2. I believe it would not do much good, although abundantly worth trying. People pay little attention to a rule unless they have been drilled in the habit of obeying them. School children who have been

drilled in escaping from a burning

building, do follow those procedures in case of fire; but mere posters in theaters "In case of fire choose the nearest exit and walk" have proved of little value—although, as I say, worth while.

## Answer to Question No. 3

3. Using what the Frenchman calls the "retort courteous," or what we call "tit for tat" this is precisely what writers and artists do when they get together. I rarely hear them talking anything but shop. This is true of all occupations. Few people know much else to talk except shop—the thing in which their lives are absorbed. When they get a chance during leisure or social hours to discuss some angle, they do it with ease and a sense of relaxation.

Tomorrow: Why do you like some movies more than others?

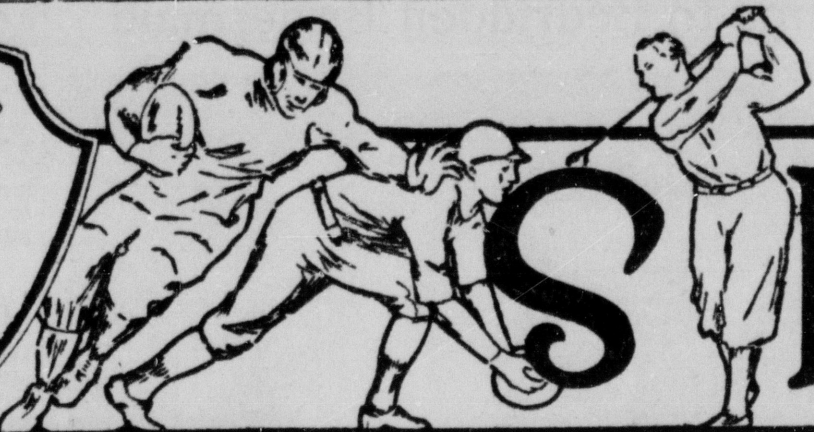
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## INTERESTING CONVERSATION

A Gift That Can Be Yours



Minnesota To  
Be Difficult  
Opposition  
In Big Ten  
Hoop Race



## LOCAL - STATE - WORLD-WIDE

## SPORTS



Former Miss  
Round Retires  
From Tennis  
Activity For  
Year's Rest

## Thomas Longs for Rose Bowl Players of Other Years on Alabama Team

### Nine Former Stars To Witness New Year's Game

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 30.—(AP)—All the worrying in Alabama's football camp would be reduced to a minimum, the Tide's coaching staff admits, if Coach Frank Thomas could call from the stands New Year's Day a host of 'Bama Rose Bowl stars of other years to cope with California.

Hank Crisp, athletic director who has been with the invaders in a coaching capacity on each of the four previous trips, expressed the thought in no uncertain terms as a little young man sauntered into the hotel lobby.

He was, of course, Dixie Howell, who has been with the invaders' jitters with his pitches three years ago January 1.

"Wouldn't it be swell," said Dixie to a rugged chap named Riley Smith, who did some handsome blocking for Howell that afternoon, "if we could get in there again Saturday."

"Would it!" exclaimed Crisp, who prefers to let Coach Thomas speak for himself. "Boy, I'll tell the world."

Best Team on Sidelines  
He shook his head sadly.  
"With no reflection on the team that's bound to make a fine showing Saturday," said Crisp, "Alabama will have a better team sitting in the stands than on the sidelines."  
He named nine bowl performers who will be spectators and admitted a half dozen of them would be "mighty valuable."

He named them off without thought of order as to their ability. Besides Howell and Smith there are the Riley, left half, 1935; John Mack Brown, halfback, 1926; Paul Bryant, end, 1935; Kev Francis, center, 1935; Babe Pearce, guard, 1926; Sonny McGahey, tackle, 1931; Billie Brown, halfback, 1931.

Then he took himself to Coach Thomas—to help him worry at the afternoon workout on the Rose Bowl sod where Coach Stubb Allison had sent California through secret press in the morning.

The teams will take their final fling in the bowl again tomorrow with 'Bama working in the morning and California in the afternoon.

### Four Top-Seeded Netters In Sugar Bowl Semi-Finals

New Orleans, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The chips were down in the Sugar Bowl tennis tournament today as the four top-seeded players squared off to battle for finalist berths.

Bobby Riggs and Joe Hunt of Los Angeles, Wayne Sabin of Hollywood, and Don McNeill of Oklahoma City, seeded in that order, crushed their opposition with sparkling exhibitions yesterday to gain the semi-final round.

Riggs, ranked second nationally to Don Budge, was invincible in turning back New Orleans' Ernie Miller, 6-0, 6-0, but figured to have his hands full with young McNeill, who was almost as impressive in disposing of Bernard Coghlan of Pacific Palisades, Calif., 6-3, 6-1.

Hunt and Sabin will scrap it out for the other final position. Both swept through their quarter-final matches easily, Hunt turning back Frank Kovacs of Oakland, Calif., 6-0, 6-1, and Sabin slipping by Wilmer Hines of Beverly Hills, Calif., 2-6, 6-0, 6-2.

### BAMA KICKS 667

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—(AP)—Alabama made good nearly two-thirds of its attempted conversions after touchdown during the 1937 season. The Crimson kicked 21 extra points and made 33 touchdowns.

### HITS HOMERS

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—(AP)—Victor Bradford, Alabama halfback, was the home-run leader among Crimson baseball players last spring. He's also a basketball letterman.

### CARRIES LUCKY PIECE

New Orleans.—(AP)—Superstitious Tom Gilbert, Santa Clara halfback, has a rabbit's foot taped to the crown of his headguard.

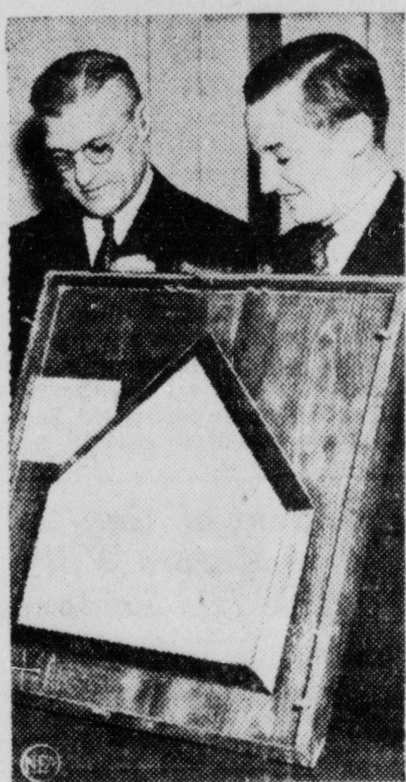
### FIRST DOWN LEADERS

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—(AP)—Alabama's 1937 football team more than doubled the first downs made by its opponents—130 to 52.

### TOP SCORERS

New Orleans.—(AP)—Bill Gunther, fullback, is the leading Santa Clara football scorer this season.

### NEW PLATE



Among the items discussed by major league officials at their annual meeting in Chicago was this rubber home plate with beveled edges, being exhibited by Will Harridge, left, American League president, and Walter O. Briggs, Jr., representing his father and the Detroit Tigers.

## GOPHERS BEAT VIOLETS, EAST TRIP SUCCESS

### Trip Second Quint of New York Area By 36-31 Count

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—It appears as if Minnesota's Gophers will be tough to pry loose from their share of the Big Ten basketball championship.

The Gophers, who tied Illinois for the 1937 conference title, continued to dazzle New York fans last night by cutting down New York university's previously undefeated team, 36 to 31, before 18,000 in Madison Square Garden. The Gophers failed to cause much excitement out this way in whipping South Dakota, Grinnell, Carleton and Nebraska, but proved they have it again this year by mauling Long Island U., 56 to 41, Monday, and following up with last night's triumph.

Purdue and Indiana boosted Big Ten basketball prestige at the other end of the continent by defeating two Los Angeles teams in a doubleheader.

Won Thrilling Battle  
Indiana won a nip-and-tuck affair with the University of Southern California, 42 to 39.

Purdue again turned on its amazing scoring power to defeat the University of California at Los Angeles, 63 to 39.

The victories gave the Indiana teams a grand slam on their far west tour. The previous night Purdue defeated the Trojans, 49 to 43, and Indiana turned back U. C. L. A., 42 to 33.

Ohio State suffered its first defeat of the season, bowing at Columbus to California's touring five, 34 to 27.

There will be no action for Big Ten teams tonight, but Northwest-ern will entertain Notre Dame tomorrow night in their usually spectacular New Year's Eve game, while Wisconsin tackles Missouri at Madison.

### NEWCOMER AND VETERAN IN QUARTER-FINAL JUNIOR NET MEET

New York, Dec. 30.—(AP)—An established star of junior tennis and a newcomer to top-flight competition were matched today at the Seventh Regiment armory in what promised to be one of the best quarter-final matches in the national junior tennis championships.

The established star is Isadore Bellis, curly-headed Philadelphiaian, who, at 17, is a sophomore in the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton school of business and finance. The newcomer is George Kraft, slim senior at Erasmus Hall high school in Brooklyn, and a youngster who, though unranked, has been highly impressive.

Bellis, boys' indoor and outdoor champion in 1935 and a quarter-finalist in the last two junior competitions, in the past summer came out on top in such events as the middle states, Pennsylvania, Philadelphia and Atlantic coast junior championships and the Philadelphia city men's tourney.

Ranked second to William Gillespie and favored to meet the Atlanta boy from Scarborough school in the final on Saturday, Bellis nevertheless appeared to have his work cut out for him in his meeting with Kraft.

GOOD SAMARITAN KILLED  
Bloomington, Ill.—(AP)—While helping another motorist repair a tire along the roadside, Lewis Edward Hick, 22, of Shirley, was struck and killed on state highway 66, five miles south of here.

William Bland, a negro, of Chicago, whom Hick was helping, suffered rib fractures. Two negroes sitting in the car at the time escaped injury.

Robert Carlock, also of Shirley, driver of the car which struck Hick, told police he failed to see any lights on Bland's automobile.

### HITS MARK OFFEN

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—(AP)—Jerry Mosley, Alabama's flashy sophomore halfback, completed the 1937 season with a 500 batting average in passing. He hit his mark 13 times in 26 attempts.

GOLDEN BEAR IDENTIFIED  
Berkeley.—(AP)—California's athletic name, Golden Bear, is derived from the state of California, the golden state, and from the fact that the first state flag had a bear on it.

### CAN'T STOP HIM



Leroy Monsky, Alabama captain and All-America guard, doesn't intend to let a little thing like a damaged eye keep him out of the Rose Bowl game when the Crimson Tide meets California, Jan. 1. Monsky had five stitches taken in a cut over his left eye, which he received in a collision with a teammate during a workout. He insists he'll be ready for action by New Year's Day.

## LASH, BIG TEN'S BEST ATHLETE, DAVIS SECOND

### Track Star Honored For Smashing Of Distance Marks

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The Big Ten's "outstanding athlete" title for 1937 belongs to Donald R. Lash, Indiana's smasher of distance running records—by as far as some of the bigger margins he established in cinderpath triumphs.

The light-footed Hoosier, who ran a world record 8:58 two miles as Boston last February, dominated Big Ten mile and two mile fields outdoors for three years, along with supplying a full share of thrills for Drake and Pennsylvania relay crowds, galloped off with the sixth annual Associated Press poll of coaches and sportswriters by a score of 67 points to 37 for a fellow Hoosier, Fullback Carby Davis.

John (Jake) Townsend, an Indianapolis boy who operates for Michigan in basketball and track, was third with 19 points.

Lash first choice  
Lash was the first choice of 17 of the 41 voters. Five picked him second and six made him third choice. Scoring was on the basis of three points for a first choice, two for a second and one for a third. Davis collected seven firsts, five seconds and six thirds.

Cecil Isbell, Purdue's football stalwart, and Louis Boudreau, Illinois basketball and baseball star, shared fourth place at 16 points; Jewell Young, Purdue's holder of the Big Ten individual basketball scoring record, had 15 for sixth, and 13 points gave Jim McDonald, Ohio State gridiron and basketball ace, the next position.

Others receiving support included Harry Combes, Illinois.

### American League Staff Of Umpires Completed Today

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The American league's staff of umpires for 1938 was complete today with the signing of Joseph William Rue, promoted from the American association.

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## MOVIES USED TO IRON OUT GRID FAULTS

### Small Colleges Ponder Gate Receipts And Dollars

New Orleans, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Football coaches in convention turned today to motion pictures.

Use of the camera for improving a team's play was up for discussion by a half dozen top-ranking coaches, who advocate it as an essential for correcting faults of individual players.

The coaches yesterday agreed that prevailing rules were pretty much all right with exception of two slight changes which Lou Little of Columbia University, chairman of the rules committee, said would help the offense. Athletic directors of the smaller institutions meanwhile pondered questions involving gate receipts, football crowds and football dollars.

"Luxury" Sport  
They were told by Dr. John H. Nichols, director of athletics at Oberlin college, that football was "a luxury sport" at colleges having less than 1000 students and that the athletic departments at such institutions should be conducted along the same lines as any other department—on a budget responsible to the administration.

One of the changes recommended by the rules committee would bring the ball in 15 yards from the sidelines instead of 10 when it goes out of bounds or is downed closer than that yardage to the line. The other would make a forward pass that inadvertently was touched by an ineligible man behind the line of scrimmage count as a down instead of loss of the ball.

### CHARITY GAME TEAMS FINISH THEIR DRILLS

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Football stars of the east and west put finishing touches today on offensive plays for the Shrine charity game Saturday.

The teams concluded heavy practice yesterday under the first clear sky in a week, and now it's just a matter of perfecting timing.

Andy Kerr of Colgate, co-coach of the east with Bernie Bierman of Minnesota, said his players were "much further advanced than last year because we have had time to put in more plays and stress the running attack."

Coaches Orin "Babe" Hollingberry of Washington State and Lawrence "Biff" Jones of Nebraska expressed the same opinion about their own teams, which has been working on an aerial attack featuring the Arkansas passing duo of Quarterback Dwight Sloan and end Jim Benton.

Betting here favored the east at 10 to 8. What edge the easterners may have was considered to be mainly in the line, which will have such stalwarts as Fordham's All-America tackle, Ed Franco, and center Alexander Wojciechowski, the Ohio State guard, Gust Zarnas; and North Carolina's great end, Andy Bershak.

### THIS PAIR COUNTED

Tuscaloosa.—(AP)—Tut Warren, Alabama end, caught two very important passes this season. He snared a short heave over the goal for the only touchdown in the Georgia Tech game and the took a long throw for 'Bama's lone touchdown in the triumph over Vanderbilt.

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### VEST BUTTON SNAPPER

Berkeley.—(AP)—When it comes to throwing out your chest, Johnny Meek, California quarterback, is tops. They say he has the biggest chest expansion of any Pacific Coast player.

COURT STAR  
Berkeley.—(AP)—Bob Herwig, Berkeley's football center, was co-captain of the Bears' basketball team last winter.

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### Winter Hike



Girl Scouts, who are as keen about winter sports as they are about summer camping, hail the first snowstorm with cheers. In their varied program of cold weather activities snow shoes, skis, sleds and skates are equally popular.

## On the Side

### Bits of Gossip of Sports Picked Up By AP Writer

By EDDIE BRIETZ  
New York, Dec. 30.—(AP)—How come Dizzy Dean's famous balk, which got him into a row with President Ford Frick and made headlines all over the country, didn't get into the official National league averages? ... Los Angeles has taken a January fight between John Henry Lewis and Maxie Rosenberg away from St. Louis and Chicago ... Dear old Dartmouth will announce a 150-pound football team any day now with Ed Jeremiah, hockey coach, in charge ... Joe Louis' movie was previewed by fight writers here yesterday ... Two stars.

Well, has anybody been able to find out where this Bill De Corbett is going to coltch? ... Emil Sick, new owner of the Seattle Indians, says what baseball needs is tabilization ... Football tip: Four of the 10 coaches who'll have teams in "bowl" games Saturday use the old Knute Rockne system ... Now that Art Gupeh has become freshman football and basketball coach at Marquette his mother has released him from such duties as baking, sewing and making the beds ... Congratulations, Butch ... Herb Kopf, one of Dr. Lou Little's assistants at Columbia, seems to have that Manhattan coaching job sewed up.

Here's a little pick-me-up for the Messrs. Waner, Medwick, et al: Dan Daniel, baseball expert of the New York World-Telegram, says factory tests have proved the so-called "deader" ball the National league will use next season is less than one per cent slower than the apple used in the American league ... Prof. Billy McCarthy, one of the slickest of the Broadway fight managers, says he has challenged both Lou Nova and Jimmy Adamiak on behalf of his heavyweight, Steve Dudas, and implores us not to keep it a secret ... Jim Reynolds, national A. U. shot put champion, is making a trip around the world on the family's dough, of which there is great gobs.

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## DOROTHY LITTLE TO RETIRE FROM COURT ONE YEAR

### Won Wimbledon Title Before Marriage; Won't Quit Game

London, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Dorothy Round Little, who won the Wimbledon championship and then settled down to married life, said today she "won't be able" to defend the title next summer.

In an interview with the Associated Press, the dark-haired Dudley schoolteacher added, "I'm not giving tennis up, but merely taking a year off."

The former Miss Round gave up Wightman Cup play this year because it came too near her marriage to Dr. Donald Leigh Little.

"I loved playing tennis all over the world," the champion said. "It's wonderful having people fussing over you. But I don't want to live that sort of life forever. I'm satisfied to settle down and be a good wife."

Wouldn't Play Sundays  
This philosophy is in line with other statements she made during her rise in the tennis world. She gained fame refusing to play tennis Sundays, and always insisted she never let the game interfere with her Sunday school teaching.

Heroine of the "black country" she attracted a gallery of 10,000 when she married the young Scotsman.

She once said, "I feel as if I could open a paper, read about Wimbledon, say 'how interesting,' and then turn to the next page."

She reached the heights late in 1936 when she defeated the American aces, Helen Jacobs and Sarah Palfrey Fabyan, in the Wightman cup matches, and in 1937 when she marched through Wimbledon, beating Miss Jacobs, Rene Mathieu of France and Jadwiga Jedrejowska, the Polish ace, in the last three rounds.

Broadcasts Cub, White Sox Games To Cost \$90,000

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—It will cost five Chicago radio stations \$90,000—or about twice last year's figure—to broadcast White Sox and Cub baseball games next season.

The higher cost is the result of jockeying brought about by an American league arrangement with a manufacturing concern for exclusive broadcasting rights, and the refusal of Owner Phil Wrigley of the Cubs to restrict air privileges in the National league park.

The manufacturing concern had arranged to pay \$62,500 for exclusive rights at Comiskey park, using two outlet stations. This plan was abandoned through Wrigley's intervention.

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

## MARKETS AT A GLANCE

(By The Associated Press)

New York—  
Stocks firm; armament issues advance.  
Bonds higher; rails lead, U. S. loans drop.  
Curb improved; metals, aircrafts, chemicals bought.  
Foreign exchange lower; sterling and franc slip.  
Cotton improved; local and trade buying.  
Sugar easier; increased spot of foreign.  
Coffee higher; European buying.  
Chicago—  
Wheat steady; fair export business.  
Corn firm; improved European demand.  
Cattle dull; demand slow.  
Hogs slow; weak; heavy supplies.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Hogs—24,000 including 4,000 direct; 216 lbs down steady to 10 lower than Wednesday's average; little done on hogs 225 lbs up; bidding 15 to 25 lower; top 8.40; bulk good and choice 150-200 lb averages 8.15 to 8.35; few 210-240 lbs 7.70 to 8.20; practically nothing done on heavier weights; packing sows steady to 15 lower; most early sales 6.25 to 6.60; few best light weights up to 6.75.  
Cattle 5,000; calves 1,000; steers predominating in run; grading mostly medium to good with sprinkling good kinds here; trade extremely dull; scattered sales 25 lower than Wednesday and more than 50 down compared with last Monday; all grades and weights under pressure; narrow shipper demand weakening good grade offerings; few loads 6.50 to 8.25; sprinkling 8.75 to 9.50; or 25 down; heifers weak to 25 lower; beef cows steady to weak; cutters about steady; bulls and vealers strong and active; heavy sausage bulls up to 7.00; selected vealers with weight to 12.00.  
Sheep 14,000 including 100 direct; fat lambs very slow; indications around 25 lower; some talking 8.25 to 8.50 on good and choice; handy and medium lambs held upward to 8.75 and above; nothing done on yearlings; indications steady on sheep.  
Official estimated receipts tomorrow: cattle 10,000; hogs 17,000; sheep 7,000.

## Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	90 1/2	90 3/4	89 3/4	90
July	85 1/2	85 3/4	84 3/4	84 3/4
CORN—				
Jan.	61 1/2	61 3/4	61 1/4	61 1/2
May	61 1/2	61 3/4	61 1/4	61 1/2
July	60 1/2	60 3/4	60 1/4	60 1/2
OATS—				
May	30 1/2	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
July	30 1/2	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
SOY BEANS—				
May	97 1/2	97 3/4	97 1/4	97 1/2
July	97 1/2	97 3/4	97 1/4	97 1/2
RYE—				
May	71 1/2	71 3/4	71 1/4	71 1/2
July	66 1/2	66 3/4	66 1/4	66 1/2
LARD—				
Dec.	7.90			7.90

## Chicago Produce

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Potatoes 27 on track 154; total U. S. shipments 582; steady, supplies moderate, demand very slow; sacked per cwt Idaho russet Burbanks U. S. No. 1, 1.42 1/2 to 50; U. S. No. 2, 1.17 1/2 to 32 1/2; Wisconsin round whites U. S. No. 1, 1.05.  
Apples 75 to 1.25 per bu; lemons 3.00 to 6.00 per box; oranges 2.00 to 3.00 per box; cherries 1.50 to 2.00 per box.  
Butter 98 1/2; weak; creamery specials (93 score) 33 1/2 to 34 1/2; extras (92) 32 1/2; extra firsts (90-91) 31 1/2 to 32; firsts (88-89) 30 to 30 1/2; seconds (84-87) 28 to 29 1/2; standards (90) centralized carlots 32.  
Eggs 56 1/2; steady; refrigerator extra 21; standards 20 1/2; firsts 20 1/2; other prices unchanged.  
Butter futures close, storage standards Dec 31 1/4; Jan 30 1/4; Feb 30 1/4.  
Potato futures close, Idaho russets March grade A 1.46.

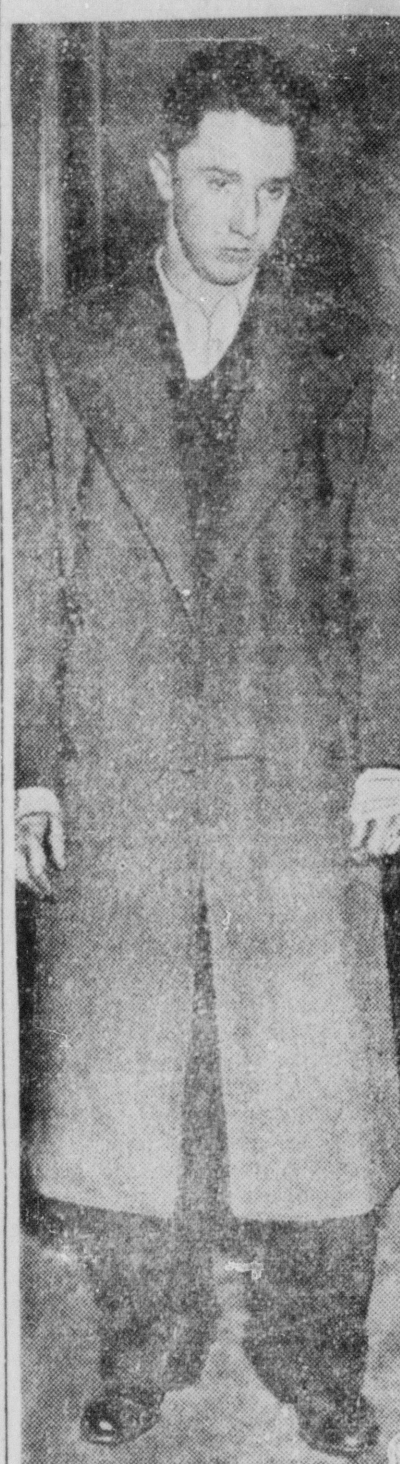
## Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Cash wheat, No. 3 red 90; sample grade hard, 73 to 90; flatter rye mixed 56 to 57 1/2; No. 3 mixed 55 to 56 1/2; No. 5 mixed 55 to 56 1/2; No. 1 yellow old 62 1/2; No. 3 yellow 59 to 59 1/2; No. 2 white 61 1/2; No. 3 white 59 1/2; No. 4 white 57 1/2 to 58; No. 5 white 56 1/2.  
Oats No. 1 white 33 to 33 1/2; No. 2 white 33; No. 3 white 32 to 32 1/2; No. 4 white 32 to 32 1/2; sample grade 30 to 31 1/2.  
Soy beans No. 2 yellow 95; No. 3 yellow 94 to 94 1/2; Barley feed 40 to 60; malting 70 to 85.  
Timothy seed 2.60 to 95; Red clover seed 30.00 to 35.00; Sweet clover seed 8.75 to 9.50.

## Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)  
Allegh Corp 1 1/4; Am Chem & Dye 16 1/4; Am Can 7 1/4; Am Car & Fdy 2 1/4; Am & Pot Pow 3 1/4; Am Loco 2 1/4; Am Metal 3 1/4; Am Pow & L 5 1/4; Am Rad & St S 1 1/4; Am Roll Mill 17 1/4; Am Smelt & R 4 1/4; Am Stl Fdy 3 1/4; A T & T 14 1/4; Am Tob 6 1/4; Am Wat Wsk 1 1/4; Amac 2 1/4; Amm Ill 5 1/4; A T & S F 3 1/4; Atl Ref 19 1/4; Aviat Corp 3 1/4; B & O 10 1/4; Barnsdall Oil 13 1/4; Beatrice Cream 15; Bendix Aviat 11; Beth Steel 58 1/4; Borden Co 16 1/4; Borg Warner 23 1/4; Cal & He T. Can Pac 7 1/4; Case 86; Caterpillar Tract 47; Celanese Corp 14 1/4; Cerro De Pas 37 1/4; C & N W 1; Chrysler Corp 49; Col Palm P 9; Coml Credit 31 1/4; Coml Invest Tr 36; Coml Solv 7 1/4; Com & Sou 1 1/4; Corn Prod 59 1/4; Curt Wr 3 1/4; Deere & Co 21 1/4; Douglas Direr 38 1/4; Du Pont De N 11 1/4; Eastman Kodak 160; Gen Cigar 22 1/4; Gen Elec 41 1/4; Gen Foods 30; Gen Motors 30 1/4; Gillette Saf R 9 1/4; Goodrich 14 1/4; Goodvear T & R 17 1/4; Gt Nor Ry 21 1/4; Hudson Motor 6 1/4; Int Harv 64; Johns Man 80; Kenn Corp 35 1/4; Kresge 15 1/4; Kroger Groc 14 1/4; Lib O P Gl 34 1/4; Mack Trucks 18 1/4; Marsh Field 7 1/4; Montgomery Ward 31 1/4; Nash Kely 5 1/4; Nat Bst 17 1/4; Nat Cash R 13 1/4; Nat Dairy Pr 13 1/4; N Y Cen R 17 1/4; Nor Pac 10 1/4; Owens Ill Cl 80 1/4; Packard Motor 4 1/4; Payson Pict 9 1/4; Penn R 21 1/4; Philip Morris 82 1/4; Phillips Pet 39; Pdu

## Kills Sweetheart "Three Times"



## SEX SLAYER IS FOUND INSANE; IS COMMITTED

Elvira, O., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Alexander Manoff, 23, of West Homestead, Pa., charged with the sex slaying of 19-year-old Louise Hornbeck October 18, was found insane today by a court of three judges. He was ordered committed to the Lima State hospital.

Judge D. A. Cook, one of the jurists hearing the case, in a formal statement said the court found Manoff "not sane now" and that the hitch-hiker had been ordered to the mental institution to remain "until such time as his condition is declared to be sane, and then returned for trial."

The court's decision followed testimony by Dr. Arthur G. Hyde, Massillon State hospital superintendent, that his examinations disclosed the youth "insane" and "mentally irresponsible."

William Grall, Lorain county sheriff, testified earlier today that he believed Manoff was "about average."

James McGucklen, West Homestead chief of police, said he had known the defendant from boyhood and although he considered him "a retarded youth I figured he was sane."

## Tagalog Ordered Basis Of Filipino National Language

Manila, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Commonwealth President Manuel L. Quezon signed an executive order today proclaiming Tagalog dialect the basis of a national language in the Philippines.

Speaking in Tagalog, Quezon then addressed by radio a crowd gathered to celebrate the 41st anniversary of the execution of the Filipino revolutionary patriot, Dr. Jose Rizal, by the Spaniards. He spoke from the Rizal monument in Luneta park.

The president said that although Spanish was the official language more than 300 years, and English for 39 years, neither became the common language of the people.

He stressed that having a national language did not mean abandonment of either Spanish or English in the schools.

## He Was Right

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Policeman Robert Fall stepped up to an automobile in the loop and tried to serve Robert Swickel, 26, the driver, with a traffic ticket for making a U-turn. "You're under arrest," shouted Policeman Fall.

Swickel let down a window a few minutes, and said: "No, I'm not."

The young driver was on his sit-down strike from 5:20 p. m. yesterday until 2:35 p. m. when the station broke a window with a pistol butt and extricated Swickel, who immediately exclaimed: "And now I'm going to be late meeting my wife in the loop."

This was correct.

He was locked up on three charges—making a U-turn, resisting arrest and disorderly conduct.

## WAR HITS NARCOTIC DEALERS

Calcutta — (AP) — The war in China is responsible for new victims—dealers in illicit narcotics.

The supply of illicit cocaine, mostly derived from China and Japan, has dried up.

No single seizure of any large amount of contraband cocaine has been made since the fighting in China began.

Smugglers are also finding it difficult to obtain opium in profitable quantities.

## WILL GET OLD-TIME PLANE

Ontario, Calif.—(AP)—Ross Hadley, business man and aviation enthusiast, wanted one of the famous "Jenny" planes flown in the World War, and was willing to wait and pay to get it. So for two years aeronautic students at Chaffey junior college have been rehabilitating the craft and have spent \$1,000 of Hadley's money for parts. They now promise delivery "in about six months."

## RESTAURATEUR DEAD

Kirkville, Mo., Dec. 30.—(AP)—A. E. Jones, 61, a restaurant proprietor known as "Pop" to thousands of college students here, died last night. He was in the restaurant business in Moline and Rock Island, Ill., before coming here in 1922.

## MESSAGE ON AIR

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Arrangements have been completed for President Roosevelt to deliver his message to Congress Monday at 12:30 P. M. (C.S.T.) before a joint session of the two houses. It will be broadcast.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to neighbors and friends for their acts of kindness, floral tributes and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our loving mother.

The Brink families.

## ROLLER SKATING

New Year's Eve  
Regular Skate... 7:30 to 10:30  
Whoopie Party... 10:30 to 12:30  
HATS AND FAVORS  
Skate the New Year in  
Also Skating New Year's Day  
2:30 to 4:30 — 7:30 to 10:30  
OREGON, ILLINOIS

## When Wedding Came to Bedridden Bridesmaid



The wedding, pictured above, came to Flora Campbell, New York actress, when an emergency appendectomy interrupted her trip to Toledo, O., where she was to be the bridesmaid at the wedding of her sister. The wedding party hurried to a Cleveland hospital and the ceremony was performed there. Pictured, left to right, are Flora Campbell, bedridden bridesmaid; Jackson Campbell, best man and brother of the bride; Joseph Hudson Short, Jr., the groom; Miss Beth Campbell, the bride, and Rev. Howard Spangler.

## YOUTH DEAD, PAL IN JAIL, KIDNAP GANGCLEANED UP

Flat River, Mo., Dec. 30.—(AP)—One youth was dead, another in jail, and Sheriff A. A. Bayles announced today the Monday night "kidnapping" of C. A. Robertson had been "cleaned up."

Bayles asserted Mervin Wright, 24, whose body lay in a morgue here, had been identified as the leader in the abduction of the Desloge, Mo., real estate dealer.

The sheriff held 16-year-old Everett Cochran in jail after announcing the youth had admitted participation in the wild ride through southeast Missouri into Arkansas. He said Cochran had identified Wright as "the brains."

Robertson identified Cochran as "one of 'em'" after leading the sheriff to the youth's Bonne Terre, Mo., home yesterday.

The sheriff declared Wright apparently shot himself as officers closed in on his mother's home to arrest him. He said a farewell note begging Wright's brothers to "go straight" was found in the man's pocket.

Robertson was recovering from gunshot wounds in the right hand and left leg that he said he suffered in escaping from his abductors after a "night of terror."

## Belgians Testing Altitude Effects

Brussels, Belgium, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Two Belgians today passed their eighth day in a sealed cabin, under atmospheric conditions equivalent to an altitude of 12,000 feet above sea level.

The experiment at Evre military airport is being conducted with Lieut. Jan Steys, Belgian altitude record holder, and Prof. Dr. R. Abrahams in the cabin compiling data which may benefit air transportation.

King Leopold visited the men—flattering his nose against the glass peephole and talking encouragingly to them by telephone.

The two human "guinea pigs" will emerge Sunday for physical examinations to determine physical reactions to a lengthy stay in high altitude conditions.

The cabin, designed by Col. R. D. Silvestre, air force physician, was furnished with food and books. Prof. Auguste Piccard, pioneer stratospherist, backed the experiment.

## PLAN WAR GAMES

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The Navy department disclosed today that every branch of the nation's military forces would join in war games to start the last of January at Culebra island, off Puerto Rico. The Coast Guard will participate for the first time, but otherwise the maneuvers will be similar to those held there annually for the last four years, officials said. Culebra island is a naval preserve.

## THE PALMS

Freeport  
NEW YEAR'S EVE,  
December 31  
LOU HARMON AND HIS ENTERTAINING ORCH.  
Floor Show - Hat - Favors  
Noisemakers  
Ladies 50c Men 75c  
... COMING ...  
NEW YEAR'S NIGHT  
January 1  
BRAD REYNOLDS AND HIS WHISPERING RHYTHM  
This world-famous orchestra is composed of 18 musicians that are well known radio and movie stars.  
MARVELOUS FLOOR SHOW  
Ladies 40c Gentlemen 60c

## For Sale or Trade

3 gas burning Log Fire Places.  
1 large Coffee Ugn.  
1 small Cash Register.  
1 2-hole Frigidaire Ice Cream Packer.  
1 large 2-oven grill top Majestic range (suitable for restaurant).  
3 3-burner Gas Plates.  
1 Ice Cream Fountain.  
ALL OF THE ABOVE ARE READY FOR USE  
H. V. MAKUTCHAN  
HOTEL NORTHERN  
Princeton, Ill.

## President of General Motors Will Give His Evidence

Detroit, Dec. 30.—(AP)—William S. Knudsen, president of General Motors Corporation, announced today he would accept an invitation to testify before the senate committee on unemployment relief at Washington the forenoon of January 6.

Knudsen said yesterday he had planned an extensive business trip during January and had asked the committee to postpone his appearance until January 28.

Today's decision was made after receipt of a telegram from Senator James F. Byrnes (D-SC), committee chairman. Byrnes said: "While not wishing to inconvenience you, my committee considers it exceedingly important to hear from you at the opening of our investigation next week, particularly in view of reported unemployment in automobile industry."

Knudsen announced Tuesday a reduction in General Motors employment involving the lay-off January 1 of 30,000 workers.

## Shipping Lines Ask for Damages

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—The number of steamship lines suing for damages allegedly resulting from termination of ocean mail subsidy contracts last June rose to three today when the Columbian Steamship company filed suit in the court of claims for \$2,261,379.

The Columbian company, incorporated in Delaware, and the two other shipping lines, United Fruit company and American Line Steamship corporation, told the court they had suffered "great damage and loss" by the maritime commission's refusal to renew their subsidies under terms of the merchant marine act of 1936.

The United Fruit company filed claims totaling \$10,000,000 and the American Line claimed damages of \$1,980,726.

## Former Senator Is Much Better Today

Lafayette, Ala., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Dr. N. A. Wheeler said today former Senator J. Thomas Hefflin, suffering from lobar pneumonia, was "much improved" but "not yet out of danger."

Dr. Wheeler said the 68-year-old "comeback" candidate for the Senate seat vacated by Justice Hugo L. Black "showed more improvement during the night than we have seen since he entered the hospital" on Christmas Day.

## STERLING COLISEUM

STERLING, ILL.  
Annual  
New Year's Eve Party  
FRIDAY, DEC. 31st  
Music by  
Connie Nason and His Band  
Dubuque, Iowa  
COME FOR A ROLICKING GOOD TIME!  
New Year's Nite  
RAY ALDERSON and His Orchestra

## CITY MEAT MARKET

NEW YEAR'S SPECIALS  
The Best Money Will Buy  
Fresh Dressed Ducks and Chickens 25c-28c lb  
Pig Pork Loin and Shoulder Roasts 20c-22c lb  
Best Shldr. and Rolled Beef Roasts 20c-22c lb  
Lean Meaty Short Ribs of Beef 10c lb  
Boneless Rolled Veal Roasts 22c lb  
Boned Shoulder and Leg o' Lamb 23c-30c lb  
Puritan Smoked Hams, whole or half 25c lb  
Fresh and Smoked Ham Shanks 12 1/2c lb  
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## Terse News

## FALLS ON ICE

Mrs. Eugene Martin of 424 Swales street fell on the ice yesterday and broke her hip. She was removed to the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital for care.

## CLAIMS ARE DUE

County Clerk Sterling D. Schrock today requested that all claims against the county be filed in his office by noon Monday to be presented at the board of supervisors at their regular January meeting.

## DIXONITE JAILED

(Telephone Special Service)  
Sterling, Dec. 30.—Herold Piper of Palmyra township is a prisoner in the Whiteside county jail where he was taken when he failed to furnish bonds on a charge of operating an automobile while in an intoxicated condition. Piper was arrested Tuesday by State Highway Officer Vernon Kelly of Sterling on route 40, a mile north of Sterling. A charge of drunken driving was preferred in justice court and Piper was held to the grand jury.

## RECEIVES COMMISSION

Judge Leon A. Zick of Oregon has received his commission as circuit judge in the fifteenth judicial district and will take over his judicial duties after the first of the year. Judge Harry Edwards of this city will preside at the January term of the circuit court in Dixon.

## WPA Relief Employment Rolls Gained 30,626 Second Week December

Washington, Dec. 30.—(AP)—Works progress administration relief employment rolls increased 30,626 in the week ended December 18, WPA records disclosed today.

The increase raised the total of relief workers from 1,557,689 on December 11 to 1,588,315 on December 18.

WPA officials said the increase reflected few of the 350,000 jobless workers ordered added to the rolls December 9 by Administrator Harry L. Hopkins.

The addition of the 350,000 workers is not expected to be noted in the lists until next week.

## Prominent Chinese Catholic Layman Is Slain By Terrorist

Shanghai, Dec. 30.—(AP)—J. Lo Pa-Hong, one of China's most prominent Catholic laymen and the chairman of Shanghai's new civic association, was killed in the French concession today by an assassin disguised as an orange peddler.

The assassin, who escaped, was believed to have been a patriot-terrorist, angered because Lo's civic association had planned to work with Japanese in rehabilitating areas around Shanghai.

The downward speed of a parachute jumper reduces from as much as 118 to between 10 and 11 miles an hour when the parachute opens.

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# Today's News From Neighboring Communities

## LAMOILLE

Lamoille—Mr. and Mrs. George Allen, Mr. and Mrs. August Steele and family, Mrs. Clara Harris and son Roger spent Christmas at the Ralph Allen home.

LeRoy Littlewood who attends school at Peoria spent a few days the past week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Littlewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Bonnell and family visited from Friday to Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Holcomb of Rock Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wells of Meridian called at the George Desmond home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton Dickinson of Milwaukee, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith and Mrs. Eldena Bukontz enjoyed Christmas at the home of Mrs. John Crossman.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Willard of Ladd called on Mrs. A. A. Barger Sunday.

Mrs. Anne Eggers and son Fred were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Eggers.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton Dickinson of Milwaukee spent the week end at the L. D. Smith home.

The Gary Willard family moved to Van Orin Thursday.

Doris Littlewood is visiting at the George Littlewood home this week.

Wayne Ross and family and Mrs. Hazel Carver of Chicago, Frank Prescott and family of Mendota and Dewey Drummer and wife of Spring Valley spent Christmas at the William Carver home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Billings of Sublette and Bud Kennedy of Mendota were guests Christmas at the Walter Ansteth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maitan and son Fred spent Christmas at the Arthur Kolp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Tellkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tellkamp and family spent from Friday to Sunday with relatives in Cherry, Ohio and Lamoille.

Kenneth Willard of Peoria spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Willard at Van Orin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holler and son, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reaser of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kearney of Chicago and Harold Littlewood of Lamoille were guests on Christmas at the George Littlewood home.

Mrs. Martin Swanlung who has been in the hospital in Mendota has been moved to the home of her father.

Last Monday when Mrs. Beven Arnett was washing her pet cat, its tail became caught around the shaft under the washing machine and it hung suspended by the tail until a fuse plug blew. Mrs. Arnett gave the cat a saucer of milk and called Clifford Maloy to help and unfasten the cat's tail. It caused considerable excitement in the neighborhood and the cat was released having suffered a broken tail.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd Clark were dinner guests Christmas at the W. W. Dunbar home in Ohio.

The Friendly Circle of the M. E. church will meet Thursday, Jan. 6 with Mrs. Harvey Tellkamp.

Christmas guests at the Charles Gross home were: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gross and daughter Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hoeger and Lincoln Gross and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Koerner and daughter Charlotte spent Christmas at the Beryl Drummer home.

Howard Albright and son Donald and daughter Carol called Monday at the Mrs. Laura Conrad home, Miss Carol remaining for the week.

Mrs. John Crossman and daughter Elizabeth were dinner guests Sunday at the L. D. Smith home.

The J. L. F. club of Mendota was served a dinner last Monday evening at 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gross. Following the dinner games were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Gilbert Truckenbrod, Mrs. Augustus Wilhelm and Mrs. Ralph Jacobs of Mendota. A Christmas exchange was also enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koerner of La Salle were Sunday callers at the Theodore Koerner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Mentzer of Wenona were week end guests at the John Maxey home.

Guests Christmas day at the Edgar Meisel home were: Mr. and Mrs. William McCullom and sons James and George and daughter Onalee, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meisel and daughters Arlene and Beulah of Lamoille, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Greener of Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordelle King spent from Saturday to Monday at the Henry Botham home in Aurora.

Carl Conrad of Sterling and his son Junior of De Kalb spent Christmas with Mrs. Laura Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koepke and family, Mrs. B. Koepke and daughters Mae and Erna, Mr. and Mrs. John Clapp, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butler and Miss Nettie Butler of Lamoille, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Brueckner and daughter Lois Hetzler of Mendota were Christmas guests in the Harvey Hetzler home.

The band gave a party Monday for the Lamoille village board.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Maloy and daughter Dorothy were Christmas guests of Charlie and Olga Kuetzer at Zearing.

Miss Vera Rapp spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz at Dixon.

John Allen and family, Mrs. Margaret Dysche and daughter Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tuntland and baby of Lamoille and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tobin of Buda were Christmas dinner guests in the Bert Browning home at Plano.

Earl McNinch, wife and daughter Earlene of Lee Center and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McNinch of Sterling were Christmas guests in the William McNinch home.

Dorsey Dayton, wife and daughter Marilyn spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schildberg at Mendota.

Park Lyon, wife and son Clifford and Raymond Chambers were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dremann at Princeton.

Miss Shirley Mae Hofermann of Peru is visiting at the Clifford Maloy home.

John Pope and family, Clark Farquhar and family of Chicago, A. D. Steckel and family were Christmas guests at the Mrs. Nettie Williams home.

Miss Virginia Koepke of Chicago spent the holiday vacation at the Fred Koepke home.

Alvin Tuntland and wife were Christmas guests at the Bert Tuntland home at Newark.

Miss Jean Kaufman of Joliet is a guest at the Dorsey Dayton home.

Roland Tellkamp and wife of Davenport spent the week end at the Henry Tellkamp home, leaving Sunday for Florida and Cuba.

Leo Conrad and family of Joliet, Francis Campbell and wife of Chicago, Richard Crossman and wife, A. D. Steckel and family and Joe Sogawalter were dinner guests Sunday at the Richard Crossman home.

Frank Clark and wife, Mrs. Clara Drummer, Beryl Drummer, wife and daughter Jacqueline, Eugene Drummer and family of Lamoille, Charles Stauffer and wife of Princeton, Mrs. Charles Bocking of Seattle, Wash., Miss Katherine Marriott of Winfield, Iowa, and Miss Verda Yenerich of Mendota were Christmas guests in the Roy Yenerich home.

The Neill family reunion was held at the S. A. Hoppes home Christmas day with Mrs. S. A. Hoppes and Mrs. Theresa M. Neill of Cherry as hostesses. The home was beautifully decorated with silver bells and arbor vitae with a large decorated tree on the front porch. A turkey dinner was served to the following: Mrs. Elizabeth McKee and family, Mrs. Neil McKee and family, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Neill, Mr. Emma Smith all of Princeton, Mr. and Mrs. Jones A. Gardner, Miss Nellie Neill, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin of Arlington, John Neill and family of Lamoille, Mrs. Jennie Holler and son Robert, Mrs. Blanche Erbes, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Holler and Robert Keith of Mendota, Mrs. M. E. Henry and daughter Margaret, Cyril Neill, Miss Mae Slack of Chicago, Phil Holler of Naperville, Walter L. Henry of Rantoul. After the exchange of gifts games were played and a delightful time enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steele and children of Ohio, and Arthur Steele of Wyanet spent Christmas at the Thomas Stelle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Drummer and Mr. and Mrs. John Drummer spent Christmas at the William Prendergast home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willard of Mendota called on Mrs. A. A. Barger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard King and Mrs. Eldena Bukontz were Monday dinner guests in the John Crossman home.

George Desmond and Mrs. Blanche Chris of Buda, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starr and children of Princeton spent Christmas at the George Desmond home.

Mrs. Wilmer Baird and son spent Christmas at the Mrs. Mary Doty home in Ohio.

Mrs. Charles Bocking of Seattle, Wash., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maria Marriott.

The members of the Baptist church will have a farewell dinner on New Year's day for Rev. and Mrs. Turnbull and family in the church parlors.

Rev. Frost and wife spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell at Utica.

John Aitken and family spent Christmas at the Arthur Aitken home at Troy Grove.

Frank Rambo and wife, Ed Esterday and wife, Henry Stuepfert, Jr., were Christmas guests at the Eugene Drummer home.

Miss Elizabeth Crossman of Galva spent Christmas at the Mrs. John Crossman home.

Charles Edwards and daughter Luella and Ed Whitney spent Christmas at the Glenn Riley home.

Mrs. Mae Dayton left Monday for the home of her parents at Boat, Ky.

George Fauble, wife and sons Norman and Lewis, Mrs. Mildred Fry and Miss Lucy Clapp were guests Christmas of Mrs. Emma Dayton.

Leo Alshouse and family of Milwaukee, Wis., visited from Friday to Monday at the William Betz home.

Arthur Ecklund and family of Battle Creek, Mich., spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Hannah Ecklund.

Lamoille Congregational Church, Rev. W. J. Frost, Ph. D., Minister Services for Jan. 21

Bible school at 10 a. m. Carl Dawson, Supt.

Morning worship and Communion service and roll call of members, at 11 a. m.

Annual Congregational meeting for election of officers, receiving of reports from all departments of the church, and the transaction of general church business, will be held at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday, Jan. 6. Refreshments.

Rev. and Mrs. Frost entertained the "Hollywood Prospects", at the parsonage, Tuesday evening, in honor of the successful presentation of the Christmas play, "How Christmas Came to Aunt Kate." Games, refreshments, and plans for future appearances, made up an enjoyable evening.

Special Watchnight Service The men of the Baptist church are sponsoring a watchnight service to which they invite you and your friends, Friday, December 31, at 10:00 p. m., prompt. The program will be as follows:

Entertainment, 10:00 p. m. to 11:00 p. m.: "Old Black Joe," Dr. W. E. Eddy, cornetist, John and Robert Schuler, vocalists.

"Songs," Milford and Edgar Davis.

"Life on the Ocean Wave," Floyd Shirley, harmonica, A. W. Ecklund, Spanish guitar.

"Song," male quartet, C. E. Dean, H. Dean, F. Shirley, H. Simkins.

"Whispering Hope," Maxine Schuler, Hawaiian guitar, A. W. Ecklund, Spanish guitar.

"Grandfather's Clock," A. W. Ecklund, accompanist.

"Blackboard Sketches," R. E. Turnbull.

"New Year Resolutions," Ralph Stanard.

Song, mixed quartet, N. Rodden, P. Dean, F. Shirley, H. Simkins.

"The Deacon's Lament," reading, C. DeLong.

Refreshments: 11:00 to 11:45 p. m. In charge of the J. O. Y. class.

Devotions: 11:45 to 12:00 midnight. In charge of Rev. R. E. Turnbull.

"Benediction" The benediction closes the service; so with something of the same thing in mind the writer of these notes for the last four years writes here for the last time. He would take this opportunity to thank those who have expressed appreciation for any helpfulness they might have been. He would be glad to say goodbye personally to any who care to attend the closing services Sunday.

Unified service of worship and study, 10:00 a. m. Sermon theme, "The Crucified Christ."

Young People, 6:15 p. m. Evening worship 7:00 p. m. Sermon theme, "A Final Word from Paul."

Lamoille Baptist church. Pastor, R. E. Turnbull.

## OREGON

By MRS. A. TILTON

Oregon—Mrs. Fannie Doeden of Hindsdale is spending the holidays with her son, Wendell Doeden and family and daughter, Mrs. Joseph Horton and family.

Mrs. Everett Hardesty and daughter Maxine of Milleville, Mrs. Fred Hardesty, Mrs. Clifford Chaffee and daughter Lynn of Pine Rock and Mrs. Irvin McRoberts were callers Tuesday at the home of Mrs. S. H. McRoberts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kiest announce the birth of a son, Ronald Jr., Christmas Eve, December 24 at Rockford City hospital.

N. H. Doeden is making good recovery from an operation for appendicitis performed Thursday at St. Anthony's hospital in Rockford.

Mrs. William Mather and Miss Marjorie Etnyre of Chicago were here for the celebration of the golden wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Etnyre Wednesday.

James Snyder employed in Chicago was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reid entertained at a family dinner Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kesseling of Woodstock, Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Wageman of Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid.

The Royal Neighbors of America Camp have elected officers as follows:

Oracle ..... Vena Colson Vice Oracle ..... Grace Hinkle Past Oracle ..... Elizabeth Fisher Recorder ..... Gertrude Eten Receiver ..... Dorothy Rely Chancellor ..... Ethel Van Vleet Marshal ..... Lella Shindle Inner Sentinel ..... Helen Friemuth Outer Sentinel ..... Sarah Reid Managers .... Anna Thayer, Faye Forman

Installation will be held in the M. W. A. hall Thursday evening, January 13 at 7:30 o'clock. Members of the Modern Woodman of America will be guests.

The Homemakers class of the Pine Creek Church of the Brethren will present an evening of entertainment at the church New Year's Eve. A basket supper will be served at seven o'clock, followed by a three act comedy "Where's Grandma?" written by Priscilla Wayne and Wayne Sprague. There will be special numbers during the intermissions. The cast includes:

Grandma, an old lady who first of all wants to be young and second is quite content to "be her age"—Mrs. Bess Cox

Gretchen Blake, a young wife—Elizabeth Hanes

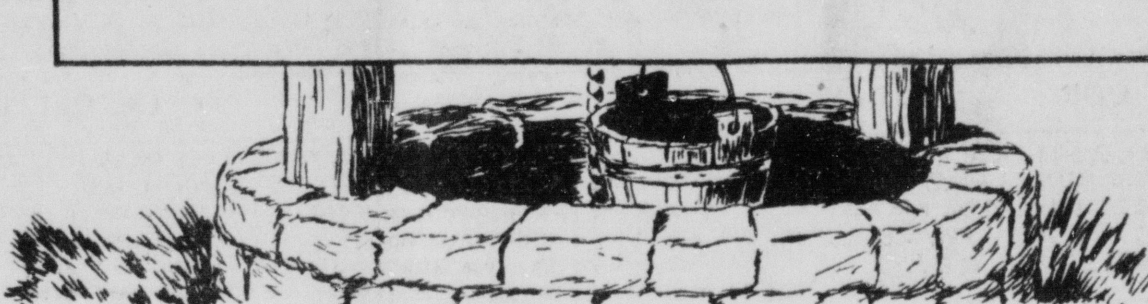
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Oleson of Forrest City, Iowa, are spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hillison.

Mr. and Mrs. Griepentrog of Medaryville, Ind., spent Christmas

## Step Right Up and Read Your Fortune for 1938



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What does the New Year hold for you? Dip deep into the "Wishing Well" and discover your fortune during 1938. This entertaining number puzzle will forecast the future for you in a surprisingly simple way. Count the letters of your first name. Subtract 4 if the total is 6 or more. Add 3 if the total is less than 6. The result will be your key number. Check all of your key numbers in the figure, beginning at the upper left corner. Then read the message in the letters so checked.

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Bob Blake, her brand new husband—Charles Harshberger

Jack Worley, Gretchen's brother—Vernon Wilson

Lucy King, Jack's sweetheart—Ruby Reynolds

Arline Truesdale, the girl Gretchen wants her brother Jack to marry—Mrs. Dorothy Gleason

Carol Worley, Gretchen's sister—Gladys Johnson

Midnight, a "chocolate brown" houseman who enjoys his uniform very much—Durwood Hagerman

Dahlia, wife of Midnight, "high yaller" and a determined female—Mrs. Virginia Rittenhouse

Place—The living room of the Worley home

Time—The present

There will be no admission charge

By MRS. J. M. HEALD

Byron—Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith of Elgin will be New Year's guests at the home of Lloyd Ploff and wife. The former is a sister of Mrs. Ploff.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Erickson from Madison, Wis., were Sunday dinner guests at the George Noe home.

Garfield Thompson is at present on the sick list. His many friends hope for his early recovery.

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## The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Continued From Page 1)

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relatives from Rockford on Christmas day. Plates were laid for 25

## Byron News

BY MRS. J. M. HEALD

Byron—Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Smith of Elgin will be New Year's guests at the home of Lloyd Ploff and wife. The former is a sister of Mrs. Ploff.

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## LEE NEWS

By Mrs. H. Hardy

Lee—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rambo and two daughters spent the Christmas holidays at Oklahoma City, Okla., with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shank.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Peters of Milwaukee, Wis., spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Herrmann.

Miss Kay King spent the holiday vacation with her relatives in Indiana.

Elmer Haug of Waukegan spent this holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Engel Haug.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Eden spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Luke near Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cofield of Saskatchewan, Canada are visiting here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Oleson of Forrest City, Iowa, are spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hillison.

Mr. and Mrs. Griepentrog of Medaryville, Ind., spent Christmas

that strong women make weak men."

Note—Later, Mile. Pos gushingly asked Mrs. Roosevelt: "How are you able to make so many speeches?"

"Because," replied the First Lady, "I always talk on subjects with which I am familiar."

British Treaty It is no accident that the new trade treaty between the United States and Great Britain is being pushed through as quickly as possible and probably will be concluded in April.</



Famous Foreign Flyer

**HORIZONTAL**

1. Flyer famous early in this century.

11. Portion.

12. Instruments.

14. Uncommon.

16. Wastrel.

18. Reverence.

19. Devil.

20. Lion.

21. Rowing tool.

23. Knock.

25. Strike.

26. Upon.

27. Skirt edge.

29. To scold.

30. Northeast.

31. Toward.

32. To rectify.

35. Noisy outcry.

38. Frozen water.

40. Eagle's nest.

42. Chaos.

43. Mister.

44. He was also an airplane.

47. Stir.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

13. Fence rail.

15. Grafted.

17. Eggs of fishes.

19. Mineral spring.

22. Wine vessel.

24. Conjunction.

27. Mohammedan nymph.

28. Critical reviewers.

31. Pedal digit.

33. Musical note.

34. Northeast.

36. Somewhat hard.

**VERTICAL**

1. Burdened.

2. Part of a shaft.

3. Indian.

4. Therefore.

5. To nod.

6. To ogle.

7. Electric unit.

8. God of war.

9. Curse.

10. Group of railway cars.

11. This won international fame. (pl.)

13. Light colors.

19. To break open.

41. Night before.

42. Neither.

43. Sorcery.

45. Artist's frame.

46. Tissue.

48. Jar.

51. Lair.

54. Wing.

55. Male child.

56. Twitching.

57. Before.

59. Southeast.

60. Provided.

Crossword puzzle grid with a portrait of a man in the bottom right corner.

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



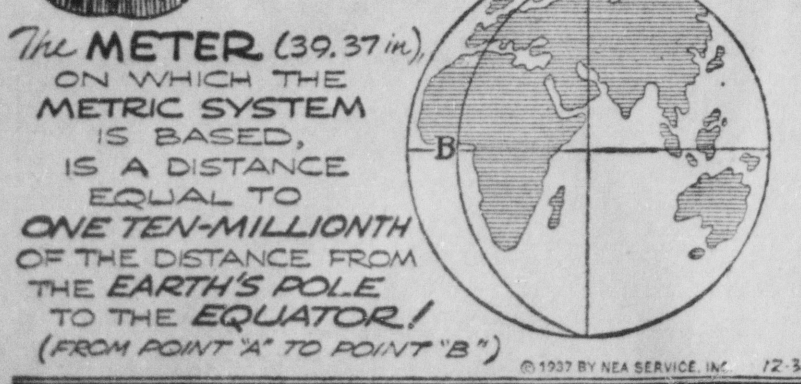
"We eat out once a week just to give the wife a rest."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



**NORTH AMERICAN BIRDS**  
ARE MORE OR LESS CLOSELY RELATED WITH BIRDS OF THE OLD WORLD, BUT THE BIRD LIFE OF SOUTH AMERICA IS MORE PECULIARLY A TYPE OF ITS OWN.



**THE METER (39.37 in.)**  
ON WHICH THE METRIC SYSTEM IS BASED, IS A DISTANCE EQUAL TO ONE TEN-MILLIONTH OF THE DISTANCE FROM THE EARTH'S POLE TO THE EQUATOR! (FROM POINT "A" TO POINT "B")

MANY European birds are to be found, not only throughout most of Northern Asia, but in North America as well, owing to suitable living conditions in both hemispheres. South America has few singing birds, but prides itself on a plumage display second to none.

NEXT: In circus language what is a zebra called?

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Dad Gum It!

By MARTIN



MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

John Turns Up Again

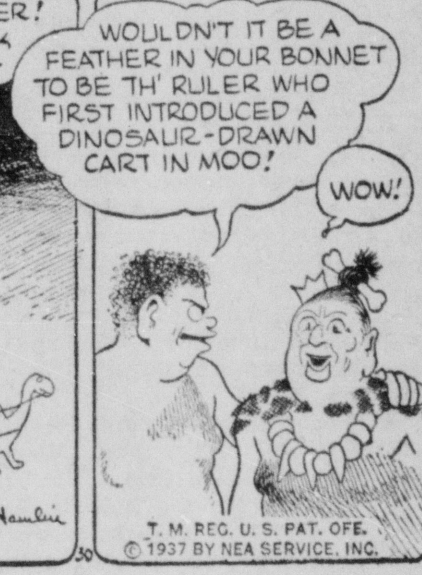
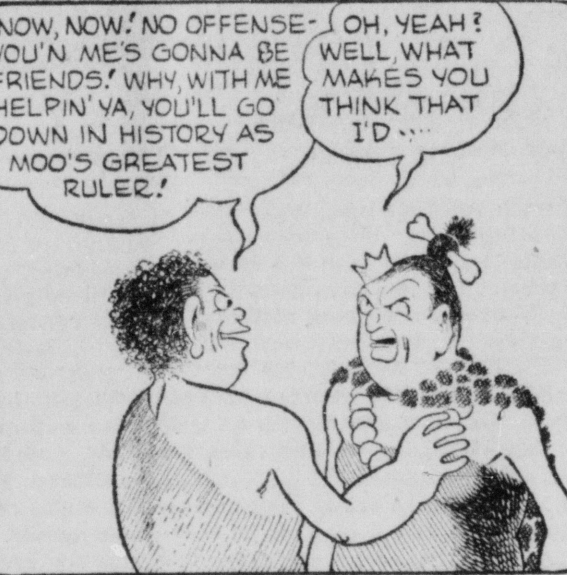
By THOMPSON AND COLL



ALLEY OOP

Oh, Oh! That Got Her

By HAMLIN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

"Pop" Cook

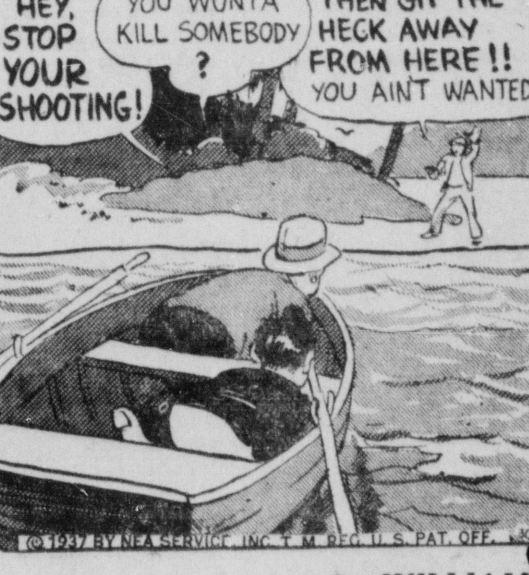
By BLOSSER



WASH TUBBS

An Obstacle

By CRANE



OUR BOARDING HOUSE . . . . . with . . . . . Major Hoople OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS



HE'LL REALLY SET, SAIL FOR THE OWLS CLUB=

THE NIGHT SHIFT. J.WILLIAMS 12-30



# Sell Odd Pieces of "Household Goods" With Want Ads

## TELEGRAPH WANT ADS

No Ads Counted } 1 insertion (1 day) .....50c  
 Less Than 25 } 2 insertions (2 days) .....75c  
 Words } 3 insertions (3 days) .....90c

(6c per line for succeeding insertions)  
 (Count 5 words per line)

### CASH WITH ORDER

Card of Thanks .....\$1.00 minimum  
 Reading Notice (city brief column) .....20c per line  
 Reading Notice (run of paper) .....15c per line

WANT AD FORMS CLOSE PROMPTLY 11 A. M.

## FOR SALE

### Real Estate

FOR SALE OR RENT, 120-ACRE stock and grain farm on state highway, close to market. Cash rent only. P. O. Box 238, Dixon, Illinois. 30513

FOR SALE—SEVERAL LOTS IN west end addition. Size 50x140. Buy now before the price advances. New school and factories are causing prices to go up. Call X 1302. 2461f

FOR SALE—LOT IN THE WEST end of Dixon, lot 16, block 11—50x140—cheap. For further particulars address S. M. care of Telegraph. 2161f

### Farm Equipment

FOR SALE—ALLIS-CHALMER Combine. A No. 1 shape. A real bargain. Walter Sidebottom, 2 mi. north of Ohio on county line. 30513

FOR SALE—FAIRBANKS-MORSE 450 Gallon Shallow Well Pump with motor and pressure tank. E. G. Dunne, Ashton, Ill. 30313

### Public Sale

POSTPONED SALE OF 19 ACRES of land in southeast corner of Dixon on Eastern Ave. will be held Jan. 3, 2 o'clock at premises. FRANK W. FISHER, Owner; Powers & Rutt, Auctioneers. 30513

### Consignment Public Sale

3 miles south and 1 mile east of Franklin Grove, Jan. 10. List what you have to sell. Bert O. Vogeler, Auct.; Earl Carlson, Clerk. 30316

### Livestock

FOR SALE—3 SPOTTED POLAND China Boars, two 165 lbs., one 190 lbs. Some Buff Rock Cockerels, David T. Wolf, Rock Island road. Phone 58220. 30512

### Produce

FOR SALE FRESH SWEET CIDER HARTWELL FRUIT FARM 947 Brinton Ave. 30414

### Household Appliances

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE including Rugs, Bedroom furniture, Chairs, Tables, Gas Range, Stove, Icebox, Lawn Mower, Mrs. Warren Bradshaw, 523 West First St. 30512

### Miscellaneous

WALNUT GREEN RIVER COUNTRY club's annual dance will be held at the Ohio Opera House, Ohio, Ill., Tues. Dec. 28. Music by Faletti's orchestra. Special awards will be given. 30412

FOR SALE, DUPLICATE BRIDGE Scores.—B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 2941f

### Musical Instruments

BARGAINS BARGAINS 5—Fine Used Pianos taken in trade on new pianos \$47.50, \$49.50, \$50.00, \$60.00, \$85.00. These prices about half their value. Other good pianos \$25.00, \$37.00. KENNEDY MUSIC CO. Next Lee Theater. 30513

### HELP WANTED

#### Salesmen

YOUR EXPERIENCE TO WORK where it will earn you up to \$200.00 a day right from the start doing service work among farmers. Big repeat business for rest of your life. Depression proof. Over 500,000 satisfied farmer customers since 1910. Many of them in your community. Prefer men with farm experience. No investment. Free training. Must have car. Home every night. Write giving age and experience. Box 13, c/o Telegraph. 30512

### SITUATION WANTED

WANTED — PLACE TO WORK for board and room by girl attending school in Dixon. Can be quite helpful. Address "L. S.", c/o The Telegraph. 30612

### INSTRUCTION

NEW CLASSES IN ALL BRANCHES of work starting January 4 DIXON BUSINESS COLLEGE 215 First St. 30413

### HEATING

AMERICA'S GREATEST STOKER value. Find out how easily you can enjoy Econ-O-Col Automatic coal heat.

### ECON-O-COL SALES & SERVICE

Phones X834 or 577 2761f

## FOR RENT

### Rooms

FOR RENT—2 ROOMS. FURNISHED or unfurnished. \$10.00 per month. Dementtown Second Hand Store, 615 Depot Ave. Phone K-1067. 30613

FOR RENT—PLEASANT SLEEPING room—421 East First St. Phone R443. 2901f

### Apartments

MODERN 3-ROOM FURNISHED Apartment, heat and water furnished, basement and telephone privileges. Phone K1445. 322 Depot Avenue. 30613

2-ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT, living room, bedroom. Kitchen priv. if desired. Also one large light housekeeping room. Close in. Reasonable rent. 315 So. Dixon Ave. Phone Y1299. 30413

### Farms

FOR RENT — 280-ACRE McCUE farm, 5 mi. no. Woodstock. Excellent soil, good buildings. 42 hd. cow barn. Passed Chicago inspection. Two silos, electricity. J. P. Bonfield, 320 W. Center, Sandwich, Ill. 30413

### WANTED

A L.B. PAID FOR LIVE, SICK, crippled, or disabled cows for food. Phone 632. Between A. M. and 6 P. M. Or write box 107, Dixon, Ill. 279126

WANTED—LOCAL AND DISTANT Hauling Service to and from Chicago. Furniture moving a specialty. Weather-proof vans with pads. Seaver Transfer Co., 821 S. Ottawa Ave., Dixon, Ill. Phone 34111. 1281f

## HARMON NEWS

Harmon—Mr. and Mrs. Chris Demmig were hosts to their neighborhood pinocchio club Tuesday evening. Five tables were in play. Guests' high score prize was won by Mrs. Omer Morgan, and consolation by Omer Morgan. Club high prizes were won by Mrs. Hedgespeth and Vernon Hoffman; club consolation prizes went to Mrs. Lester Jontz and Hayden Hedgespeth. Club guests were Mr. and Mrs. Omer Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Parlier and Henry Stauter. Lunch was served.

Dale Gaskill left the fore part of the week for Minneapolis for a visit of several days with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Schlipf motored to Eustace, Neb., to visit for a few weeks with Mrs. Schlipf's parents.

Mrs. Katherine Mercer of Chillicothe, spent a few days here with relatives.

A bounteous dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Fuhs at their home north of Sterling on Christmas Day, when the following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Clay Allen of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reed and Clarence and Evelyn Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reed, Mrs. Clarence Reecher, all of Sterling; Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Schmitt and children Lois, Marilyn, Wayne, and Elwyn of this place. Miss Lois Giffrow of Sterling was a caller in the afternoon.

Misses Clara and Henrietta Buchanan of Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Atkinson spent the weekend in Tampico at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wroten and daughter Doris.

Thomas H. Long and wife motored to Dixon Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Apple and family of Tampico and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Apple and children were Christmas Day dinner guests at the home of the ladies' mother, Mrs. Louise Bushman, near Walton.

When the last card party of this year was held Tuesday evening, prizes were won by Mrs. Mayme O'Malley in euchre, Pete Winkle in euchre, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Long in 500. Lunch was served by the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fitzpatrick were Tuesday afternoon visitors in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hermes entertained at Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rudolph, Rosemary Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Onda and son James of Sterling, Mary Christ, Adam and John Lauff.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Giblin entertained with dinner on Christmas Day. Mrs. Katherine Mercer of Chillicothe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garland and family of Sterling, Mrs. Timmons and Warren Green of Fulton and Andy and William Giblin.

Michael Clinton and sons Francis and Joe were Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of his

daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dienslake, in Walnut.

Lawrence Garland, wife and children were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mulford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Considine and sons motored to Dixon on Christmas Day and were dinner guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Addie Blackburn.

Jack and Katherine Giblin accompanied their aunt, Mrs. Katherine Mercer, to her home in Chillicothe to visit for several days.

Mrs. Margaret Byrnes has gone to Litchfield for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Wolfelt and grandson, Harry Durr.

Mrs. M. Timmons of Fulton visited here with her daughter, Mrs. Gladys Giblin, for a few days.

Guests at dinner on Christmas Day in the Leroy Larson home at Walnut were Mrs. Hugh McKeown and son Will, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Manlius Lovegreen, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rudeger and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson and daughter.

Mrs. William O'Brien is entertaining her cousin from Davenport in her home this week.

Miss Margaret Lund of Cedar Rapids, Ia., was a holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lund.

Mrs. Jennie Kruse of Walnut had as her Christmas guests, Mrs. Margaret Althouse, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lauritzen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Paschon and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Althouse and children of Walnut and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lund and son of this place, and daughter, Miss Margaret Lund, from Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Mrs. Jerry Zentz is entertaining her sister in her home this week.

The time of the masses in St. Flannan's Catholic church on New Year's Day are 7 and 9 o'clock.

Robert Drew is spending his vacation at Rice Lake, Wis., with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Drew, and other relatives.

Several from here motored to Walton Tuesday evening and attended the dance in St. Mary's hall.

Mrs. Nell Phalen and son Jimmy of West Brooklyn were Christmas dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Delhotel.

George Farley of Ohio spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Farley.

Mrs. Chris Herkel and daughter Miss Alta were callers in Dixon one day this week.

Miss Mary McInerney of DeKalb is spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McInerney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ribority were Christmas Day guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Littrell, near Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ross were visitors in Sterling the latter part of the week.

Hugh Hermes and Walter Schlipf motored to Peoria the fore part of the week on business.

The members of the Zion Household Science club held their annual supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sweetzer Tuesday evening. The enjoyments of the evening included a grab-bag, contests and a Christmas program.

Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien and daughter Ellen returned home Monday from Rock Island where they spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. O'Brien's parents.

Warren Green of Fulton is visiting for a few days in the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Giblin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweet and son Marion Sweet, wife and baby, and daughter, Mrs. Irene Holmes, have returned to their homes in Cahoon, Mo., after visiting in the home of Mrs. Sweet's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Behrendt.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Mae Peterson in Tampico on Christmas Day were: Miss Beulah Peterson of Sterling, Edwin Peterson of Millersville, Miss Verna Peterson of Moline, Mr. and Mrs. George Tuft and daughter Shirley, Robert Tuft, and Maynard and Cecil Peterson of Tampico and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and son Junior from here.

Rev. and Mrs. James Deeg and daughter Charlene spent the holidays in Detroit, Mich. in the home of their parents.

Herbert McDonnell of Sterling is spending his Christmas vacation here with relatives.

Born to Mrs. Mary Covelle, a daughter, at the Sterling public hospital Sunday. The staff and employees of the hospital have completely furnished a bassinett and layette which was presented to Mrs. Covelle at Christmas. Mrs. Covelle's husband, Clair Covelle passed away just a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Mary Enright Van De Mark, 64, wife of Charles J. Van De Mark of 505 West Eighth street, Sterling passed away Friday in the Sterling hospital and funeral service was a requiem mass in St. Mary's church in Sterling, Monday at 9 A. M. with Mr. A. J. Burns, celebrant assisted by Rev. Father John T. Smith. Committal was in the family lot in Calvary cemetery.

Mary Enright was born Feb. 22, 1873 in Sterling and lived their all her life. Besides the husband she leaves five children, and a large circle of friends in the twin cities and in the community. Thomas Enright of Sterling is a surviving brother.

Jay Sprankle was born August 23, 1884 in Harmon township and passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. Geneva Portner in Garden City, December 21, 1937, at the age of 53 years, three months and 28 days. He was educated in the rural

schools in this vicinity, and he was a farmer for 30 years.

Two brothers and three sisters survive, Howard Sprankle, Mrs. Geneva Portner and Mrs. Anna Portner of Rock Falls, Mrs. Lizzie Horne of Aurora and George Sprankle of Round Grove. He also leaves many other relatives and friends who mourn his passing. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Sprankle, three brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon from the Wheelock funeral home in Rock Falls, with Rev. H. E. Shiffer of the Rock Falls Christian church officiating and interment was made in the Harmon cemetery.

The family gathering on Christmas at the Harry Magnusson home numbered 47 and guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joel Anderson and son Harry of Argenta, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Peach and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hopkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Peach, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sample and children, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Peach and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Magnusson, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mattes, Wilbur Peach and children and Miss Madge Covelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Brandon entertained with dinner Christmas Day, Mrs. Louise Quintance and son Merle of Tampico, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Myers and sons Bobby and Jerry of Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henry from here and the Brandon children Richard, Patricia, David Donald and Marjorie Ann of Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Roman Ege were visitors in Dixon Tuesday.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Trease are coming to their relief in the time of necessity when their home and all household goods and clothing were burned in the fire which destroyed the house in which they lived, at Nelson Monday.

The flames are supposed to have caught from an oil stove and soon the house was enveloped in flames and smoke. Mrs. Van Trease with her infant in her arms and a small child able to run around were alone in the house and barely escaped being hemmed in. Men came from the C. & N. W. round house with a hose but nothing could be effective, such headway had been gained.

Mr. Van Trease is an extra fireman. Fellow railroad men and neighbors are equipping a vacant house in the village for them, so that they will soon be comfortably located. The flames attracted many from here, who went to the scene to assist in fighting the fire.

## BOY WONDER OF WALL ST. DIES IN N. Y. PRISON

Ossining, N. Y., Dec. 30.—(AP)—Harold Russell Ryder, "Boy Wonder" of Wall Street, is dead from a heart attack two weeks after he had been returned to Sing Sing prison. He was 41.

Four years of freedom on parole from a 1930 larceny sentence had ended December 13, when he entered the prison to serve from 12 to 17 years.

His death occurred yesterday in the Hilltop prison hospital to which he had climbed for a routine physical examination.

Medical Examiner Amos O. Squire today took Ryder's vital organs to Grasslands hospital for examination. Questioned as to this procedure after he already had signed the death certificate Dr. Squire said he wanted to make sure there were no contributory causes such as poisons.

The former Wall Street runner who pyramided a shoestring to \$15,000,000 pleaded guilty in 1930 to larceny of \$95,452 which he had received to purchase stocks. He was sentenced to serve three to 10 years and was paroled after two years and three months.

Last October he was rearrested in a brokerage office and admitted violation of his parole. He pleaded guilty of defrauding 83 investors of \$200,000 and was sentenced to serve from five to 10 years and in addition to complete his first term of 10 years.

## Woman Admits She Poisoned Neighbor Family in Revenge

Great Falls, Mont., Dec. 30.—(AP)—County Attorney Phil Greenan said today a 47-year-old ranch woman had signed a statement admitting she poisoned three neighbors because one said her house was "homely" and "nobody would live with me."

Physicians said the neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Ogden and their son, Cecil, 20, escaped because an excess of insect poison, placed in their flour, acted as an antidote. Greenan said Mrs. Rose Krippen signed a statement admitting:

"I was mad at them because Mr. Ogden said that I had a homely house and nobody would live with me and because he said that I should leave the ranch and go to town where I could live in a nice house, go to shows and have a good time. x x x

"I did not want to kill them. I only wanted to make them sick in the stomach."

Greenan said Mrs. Krippen was pronounced sane at a hearing June 21. She is in jail here. Greenan said he probably would ask another sanity hearing for her.

## OBITUARY

### R. W. LONG

(Contributed)

Funeral services for R. W. Long, a life-long resident of Lee county were held in the St. Flannan's Catholic church in Harmon, December 6, 1937, at 9:30 a. m. with a requiem high mass.

Mr. Long passed away at his farm home two and one half miles northwest of Harmon after an illness of six months.

During this time a registered nurse was in constant attendance at his bedside. All that love and skill could do was done to prolong his life but already the angel of death had received God's message and waited his spirit to his eternal reward on that morn.

"Ere the sun in all its state illumed the eastern sky He had passed through morning's glory gate

And walked in Paradise."

Mr. Long lived on the same farm for 73 years and was 77 years old at the time of his death.

Left to mourn are his wife, three sons and two daughters, William, Joseph, Francis, Mrs. Anna War-granddaughters. His parents and one brother preceded him in death. Interment was made in Dixon in the family lot.

"Life goes slowly on But still the vacant chair Recalls the voice, the love, the smile,

Of one who once sat there. Time may ease the broken heart Time may make the wound less sore But time will never stop the longing For the loved one gone before."

### MRS. WILSON T. BRINK

(Contributed)

Mrs. Wilson T. Brink passed away at her home, 625 North Ottawa avenue, early Friday morning after a brief illness.

Caroline, daughter of Louis and Caroline Floto of the Kingdom, was born Feb. 1, 1854 and spent her girlhood in that vicinity.

She was united in marriage to Wilson T. Brink, January 13, 1876 who preceded her in death May 13, 1920. Of this union six children were born, three of whom survive, Mrs. W. J. Schriener of Chadwick, Mrs. George Huyett of this city and LeRoy Brink of Amboy. She also leaves one brother, Henry Floto of Dixon, a sister, Mrs. Richard Robinson of State Center, Ia., nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

A year after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Brink moved to Fillmore county, Nebraska where they resided several years. They returned to Dixon in 1896 spending the remaining years of their lives here.

Mrs. Brink's life has been one of devoted love and untiring service. With her husband she cheerfully took up the business of pioneer life, helping to make the home for her loved ones.

She manifested a practical and consistent Christianity in all her relationships and was a source of inspiration to all who were privileged to come within the circle of her friendship.

As a member of the Evangelical church she was faithful in her attendance, always willingly taking an active part in the various church organizations.

She leaves a wide circle of relatives and friends who sincerely mourn her passing.

Among the out of town friends and relatives attending the funeral were:

Mrs. Richard Robinson, State Center, Ia.; Harley Robinson of State Center; Mrs. Guy Preston of Melbourne, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Floto of Rhodes, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Suter of Burlington, Wis.; Mrs. Mary Weidman, Mrs. Grace Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schriener and Mrs. H. P. Hartman all of Chadwick; Mr. and Mrs. Nate Morrill of Rockford; Mrs. Rena Brink of Sioux City, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brink of Moline, Ill., and Ned Green of Amboy.

## Law School Students Shouldn't Work Way Through Deans Say

Chicago, Dec. 30.—(AP)—A special committee of the Association of American law schools advised today against students "working their way" through law school.

Reporting on a survey, the committee headed by Pendleton Howard of the University of Utah said it was "the virtually unanimous opinion of the deans that the student engaged in a substantial amount of outside work is impeded from securing a first-rate legal education."

Approximately 25 per cent of the students in 72 law schools were found to be partially self-supporting and 16 per cent worked to pay all their expenses.

Available scholarships are inadequate at most schools, the survey showed, and the committee recommended an application for scholarship and loan funds from the \$50,000,000 trust established recently by the late Charles Hayden of New York to "assist the youth of America."

Water exists in three forms: liquid, solid, and gas. We can't see it in the later form, since it is invisible steam. The visible clouds which we erroneously call steam, really are vapor.



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CAST OF CHARACTERS  
 LINDA BENTON—HEROINE, daughter of a famous singer.  
 CAPT. HARRYMORE TRENT—Hero, being "dared" by Linda.  
 MIRANDA TRENT—Harrymore's grandmother; a "strong woman."

Yesterday, leaving Miranda Trent's for the evening, Linda meets her little Tony Abruzzi, and is astounded when he asks her to sing for him at his club.

CHAPTER XIII  
 "SING?" faltered Linda. "Here?"

"Just some little Christmas songs—to make my evening perfect." In his earnestness the little man looked as if he were about to burst into tears. "The more simple the better. There will be a boys' choir to help with the choruses. You can even practice with them a little. . . . If you will do this for me, I will gladly pay you ten times the amount of your check."

It was preposterous. It was unthinkable. Yet Linda did think about it. After all, she did need money desperately.

"You mean—now?" she asked, glancing down at her nun-like gray frock, with its childish collar and deep flaring cuffs of white organdy. "The way I am?"

"Just like that," Tony was no longer funny. He was appraising her with the shrewd eyes of an impresario. "Like that is perfect. I could not have planned it better, myself. . . . Anyhow, you didn't buy that simplicity at any department store."

It was true. She had bought it in Paris, the last time she had been there with her aunt.

When, an hour later, the lights were suddenly darkened, people sat back expectantly. Tony had some surprise up his sleeve.

UNSEEN, the stage revolved, carrying with it the last act—a team of trick banjo players. Into the silence that fell an organ pealed. Lights twinkled in what seemed to be the vast dome of heaven—and outshining them all, one bright, clear star. And there under the star, as if transfixed in space, was Linda in her simple frock, with her fair hair frosted by the soft overhead lighting, her pale young face, and that look in her eyes of a thoughtful child. Barely visible in the shadows about her feet, like a group of disembodied cherubs, clustered the bright faces of the choir boys.

So Linda sang, very softly and tenderly—"God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen"—"The Little Lord Jesus"—"The Virgin's Lullaby" and "O Holy Night"—accompanied sometimes by the shrill,

clear boy voices. Something achingly sweet in her fresh young voice brought to that jaded nightclub crowd Christmas memories—as shrewd little Tony had known it would. And as Linda sang, the icy sheath that had numbed her for days fell away in the joy of that imperishable music. . . . There was no applause.

Linda did not know that Tony's programs were always broadcast, nor that when she had finished, people all over the land as well as in that crowded room, wiped their eyes and smiled waveringly at each other.

She only knew that when it was over, she began to tremble, and that someone steadied her and led her to a chair. She remembered people standing over her as she lay back, suddenly limp and unbelievably tired. Then she was in a car, going somewhere. And so ended the strangest, wildest, most incredible Christmas of Linda Benton's life.

Linda opened her eyes the



# HUMAN REMEDY FOUND BENEFIT TO PLANT SEEDS

## Gout Medicine Proves Miracle Maker In Vegetation

Indianapolis, Dec. 30—(AP)—Onions, radishes and clover inoculated with an old human gout remedy, colchicine, and all swollen as if with gout were shown to the American Association for the Advancement of Science here as the next great revolution in agriculture.

They are the first useful, agricultural plants to be treated with the gout medicine, which less than six months ago was discovered to be a miracle maker in plants. They are sick plants, but from their seed, if the miracle works as it has with the weeds previously tried, will come new kinds of onions, radishes and clover—all harder, all larger than their species has ever been.

The plants were exhibited by the Carnegie Institution of Washington. The exhibit was in charge of Dr. Albert F. Blakeslee, who a month ago announced to the scientific world the miracles which colchicine had done with Jimson weeds at Cold Springs Harbor, New York. It made the weeds sick and swollen. But from their seed came the new hardy plants.

**Show Same Symptoms**  
The onions, radishes and clover here are showing exactly the same symptoms as the Jimson weeds—promise that the experiment will succeed with their seed. The colchicine doubles the number of the plants' chromosomes, thread-like cell bodies that govern heredity.

Colchicine, used for gout and lumbago, is a yellow, crystalline poison, extracted from the autumn arbutus. It costs about \$25 an ounce. Last spring some biologists were using it on living animal cells to slow cell division. The Carnegie scientists hearing about it exclaimed:

"That works on chromosomes. Anything that affects chromosomes is good for plants."

They tried it and discovered the doubled chromosomes miracle. One great, yet untried value of doubled chromosomes, is that it makes possible cross breeding of plants whose "hybrids" have hitherto been sterile. Doubling the chromosomes makes "hybrids" fertile. All sorts of agricultural crosses are apparently possible.

## Goodwill Planes Crash In Colombia

Bogota, Colombia, Dec. 29—(AP)—Three planes of a Latin American good will squadron one of them in flames, crashed late today about 165 miles southwest of Bogota.

The planes fell about 12 miles outside the town of Cali, said dispatches telephoned from there.

The planes were members of the squadron of four—three Cuban and one Dominican—which have been touring Latin America to collect money for a statue of Christopher Columbus, to be placed in the harbor of Santo Domingo.

The Cali report said: "Three planes caught fire in midair, 12 miles outside Cali and over the Aguacatal river. Believe they were the planes of the Columbus fliers which left Cali for Panama this morning."

A subsequent call confirmed identity of the planes but without further detail.

Freshly fallen snow contains ammonia, phosphorus, nitrates, chlorine compounds, and sulphates.

Most of the weather affecting the British Isles comes from the Atlantic Ocean.

# Travel Tips

## Timely Suggestions by Miss Dede Welch of Chicago Motor Club

(Compiled from material furnished by the Chicago Motor Club.)

In many stories that have been written about the glorious west as a last frontier, American writers, explorers and travellers have truly overlooked the last frontier, the "Cajun" country, or what is known sometimes as the Evangeline country, in Louisiana.

Specifically, the Arcadian country is composed of a group of four Louisiana parishes—Iberia, St. Martin, St. Mary, and Vermilion, commencing 100 miles west of New Orleans.

The region abounds in excellent highways and side roads, numerous points of interest, churches whose history rivals that of most European cathedrals, old southern colonial homes, and abundance of semi-tropical foliage—both native and exotic—arranged in beautiful gardens; majestic moss-covered oaks and towering cypress trees, many of them hundreds of years old and sleepy bayous. There is something strikingly romantic about this country that overpowers the visitor with a strange nostalgia.

At St. Martinsville, world famous as the shrine of Evangeline, heroine of Longfellow's immortal poem, we learn about the numerous historic spots in and near this quaint, quiet old French town, from Andre A. Oliver, official guide for the Evangeline country and recognized "Historian of the Teche." He will take you to the hallowed spot of all Arcadians landed 172 years ago after their flight from Grand Pre, and where the culmination of one of the most tragic romances in history took place. It is the romance of Evangeline and Gabriel, her lover, which is told in essential, correct fashion by Longfellow in his poem.

But you will find the beauty spot of the entire land of Evangeline is Avery Island. On this island are the home and famous Junge Gardens of Edward Avery McIlhenny, naturalist, explorer, author, and president of the Evangeline Scenic Association. The Junge Gardens are a veritable Garden of Eden, comprising 300 landscaped acres.

Then there is the famed bird city, in which hundreds of thousands of snowy herons, or little egrets, and many other species of wild migratory birds make their summer homes. To see countless thousands of these birds coming in to roost for the night is a sight worth travelling hundreds of miles. All in all, this makes one of the most delightful six to fourteen day trips for anyone that wants to escape the winter cold.

## DAILY HEALTH

### SELF MEDICATION

By Iago Galdston, M. D.

The physician who rails against self medication is always a little subject to suspicion. He appears like a prejudiced preacher.

Yet the old saying, "He who treats himself has one fool for a physician and another for a patient," was coined by laymen, and not by physicians.

Extensive experiences, and recent ones in particular, have substantially justified the oft-repeated warnings against self medication. These warnings appear especially warranted when drugs of unknown nature and potency are used.

Picking at random, we have recently witnessed the disasters caused by "trick" diets. Persons who have starved themselves or have lived upon an unbalanced diet have been known to develop a multitude of disturbances and diseases, including tuberculosis. Some have died.

The indiscriminate use of seda-

# A Five-Minute Intermission for the Man at Left



It was supposed to be the usual movie knockout and Reginald Gardiner was supposed to duck—but he didn't. Reginald Owen's right hook was supposed to miss—but it didn't. The technicians of "Everybody Sing" threw water on Gardiner for five minutes before he came to. Lynn Carver, left, and Billie Burke were supposed to register fright, too—but not that much fright.

## WEEKLY SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

### THE GOSPEL OF SERVICE

The Gospel of Mark: A Preview.

Text: Mark 10:35-45

By Wm. E. Gilroy, D. D.

Editor of Advance

Lessons for the first six months of 1938 are all taken from the Gospel of Mark. The first lesson, which is somewhat in the nature of an introduction, is taken from about the middle of the book; then

we return to the first chapter to go through the book from lesson to lesson.

The general title of these lessons is "The Gospel of Service," and this introductory lesson has to do with the spirit of the Christian disciple, and with the nature and privilege of service following the example of Jesus Himself.

Primary in all moral life and especially in Christian living is the matter of motive. There are many ruling motives in life. There is the motive of gain, or of self-interest, which may be very low and sordid, or which may be more refined and enlightened.

There is the motive of the love of place or of fame; there is the motive of the love of power; and there are many other motives which consciously, or subconsciously, may influence men in their thoughts and actions.

In our lesson, by way of contrast with the Christian motive and to bring out strongly the reality of Christian service, we have two sons of an ambitious mother, who request that the position of honor and preferment, when Jesus comes in His kingdom, may be given to them.

They have not realized the spiritual mission of Jesus; and thinking chiefly of a kingdom which they assume Jesus is going to establish as the Messiah, their request is that one should sit on His right hand and other on His left hand when He assumes the throne.

Jesus reminds them that they do not know what they ask. He inquires whether they are willing to drink of the cup that He drinks, and be baptized with the baptism that He is baptized with, apparently having in mind the persecution and ultimately the crucifixion that awaits Him.

But James and John, the so-

called Sons of Thunder, are insistent. They declare that they are able and willing to assume all the rigors of the kingdom. Jesus accepts their declaration of ability and loyalty; but He assures them that the places that they ask are not His to give.

Naturally, the 10 other disciples, when they heard of this effort of James and John to secure the foremost places, were very indignant. And it is to this indignant company of disciples that Jesus declares the law of His kingdom.

It is a kingdom of love and righteousness very different from the kingdoms of the world. In the kingdoms of the world, those who lord it over others are called great ones; but there is a different standard in the kingdom of Christ. There, greatness is measured by the extent to which one has given his life to the rule of love, and become a ministering servant to his fellowmen.

"Whoever will be first among you," says Jesus, "shall be the servant of all."

This plain and simple teaching Jesus enforces concerning His own life. He is not asking other men to assume a way of life and duty that He himself has not undertaken. Rather, He sets His own life and purpose as the example.

"For the Son of man also came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many."

The sport of motorcycling reached its all-time high record in 1933 in the United States, when 3,250,000 persons attended 789 meets.

The British and Foreign Bible Society now issue Bible in 618 languages.

Battery and Tire Service

CHESTER BARRIAGE

Chicago Motor Club Service Station

Tomorrow—Beware of Tularemia.

# TEACHERS STUDY RESTORATION OF THE HUMANITIES

Chicago, Dec. 30—(AP)—Modern teachers attending the national meeting of their association considered today a summons to act for restoration of cultural subjects—the "humanities"—to a higher place in the curricula of the nation's schools.

A committee of five, appointed a year ago to study the situation, made its report before a general meeting of the association yesterday.

The report called upon the association to establish a permanent commission to aid in establishment of sound educational theories concerning the humanities, and to seek help of the American Council of Learned Societies in that effort.

Citing a 1934 bulletin from the federal department of education, which said that the "tendency is for non-academic subjects to gain at the expense of academic subjects. The report traced the progressive education movement back to the beginning of the century.

Prof. Douglas Bush of Harvard university pleaded for a "long moratorium" on productive scholarship in an address prepared for delivery today before the convention.

"If university authorities and fellow scholars could once be convinced," he said, "that a man is doing better work reading Plato x x than writing an article, let us say, on Tudor Humanism—so that professional advancement and fame would not depend on the number of pounds of scholarship annually turned out, what a golden age would be ushered in! x x x

## AROUND THE COURT HOUSE

### PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Ogden A. Moore et ux to Muriel E. Kirby QCD \$1 Pt. Lt. 12, Bk 4, Dement's Add. Dixon.

Wesley C. Krug et al to Elmer J. Miller WD \$1, 1-24th. int. SW 1/4 Sec. 14, China Tp.

City National Bank, Dixon, to Joe Taylor et al. Rel.

Isreal H. Perkins et ux. to Dora Porbs WD \$1 Lt. 10, Bk. H. Harmon.

City National Bank, Dixon, to Henry J. McCoy et ux. Rel.

Frank S. Wilson et ux. to Hubert A. Howell et ux. WD \$10 Lt. 5, Bk. 56, North Dixon.

William Leffelman et ux. to Samuel C. Leffelman QCD \$30, Lts. 11, 12, 13, 14, Bk. 6; Lts. 1, 2, 3, Richman's first Add. Sublette.

In 1935, revenues received by American Class 1 railroads for the transportation of express traffic amounted to \$63,328,422, in comparison to the 1934 figure of \$54,013,025.

After a new plane is designed on the drawing board, each part has a separate test on the ground until the amount of strain it will take has been ascertained.

# Evangelist



## SPECIAL SERVICES COMMENCE SUNDAY AT GRACE CHURCH

The annual Gospel meetings and spiritual crusade will commence at the Grace Evangelical church of Dixon Sunday morning at 10:50 o'clock, with evening services each evening of the week excepting Monday for a period of three weeks, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. F. E. Rueckert of Farmer City, Ill., (above) will be the speaker at each of these services. He comes to Grace church with very splendid recommendations from churches which he has served in this special way. He has been a

preacher for 32 years, received his education in Cincinnati, Ohio and Chicago. His work has carried him from the Atlantic to the Rocky Mountains, from the Canadian line down into our southland. He has conducted as many as five campaigns in the same church. He recently concluded his second successful campaign in the church at Oglesby, Ill. of which the Rev. J. F. Garner is the pastor.

The Uniontown, Pa., Herald and Review gave him this tribute:

"Mr. Rueckert is an ordained minister and gave up his active ministry to become an educational evangelist and Bible teacher. He is unique in that he not only is a most able and forceful speaker, but he has a most pleasing baritone voice and delights his audience with well chosen, well rendered solos. He is very plain spoken and does not mince words. Endowed with a subtle humor and a pleasing personality he completely wins his audience."

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Lynne Overman  
Charles Bickford  
Evelyn Brent  
-- in --

**"NIGHT CLUB SCANDAL"**

-- EXTRAS --  
Cartoon - Travelogue

## DIXON

Today 7:15 - 9:00  
Mat. Ex. Mon., Wed., Fri.

**Lily Pons**  
**Jack Oakie**  
Eric Blore  
Edw. Everett Horton  
-- in --

**"HITTING A NEW HIGH"**

-- EXTRAS --  
Cartoon - Snapshots

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The famous Prince Castle Quintuplet Banana Split, 5 scoops of ice cream, firm, sliced banana, choice of toppings. 17c

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